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BIRTHS.

KEANE—November 23, 1924, at Glencree, Ennistymon, County Clare, to Dr. and Mrs. Denis Keane, a son.

LAWLOR—On Sunday, November 23, 1924, at "Corfu," Farnborough, Hants, to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest A. Lawlor, a son (Fintan Ernest).

MATTHEWS—November 17, 1924, at Coolbanagher, Portarlington, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Matthews, a daughter.

MILEY—November 23, 1924, at "Benmor," Tivoli terrace, N., Kingstown, to Mr. and Mrs. W. Miley, Duke street, Athy, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

EARLE and HEMPHILL—November 20, 1924, at St. Peter's Church, by Rev. J. Tobias, William, eldest son of E. H. and Mrs. Earle, Roscrea, to Evelyn H., only daughter of the late S. W. Hemphill, Oakville, Clonmel, and Mrs. Murphy, Frankfield terrace, Cork.

WILBY and KERR—November 19, 1924, at St. Victor's Church, Dublin, by the Rev. Canon Thompson, B.D., assisted by the Rev. William Baillie, M.A., John James (Garnet), elder son of John Wilby, 9 Fitzwilliam terrace, Bray, County Wicklow, to Margaret (Pearl), eldest daughter of Robert William and Mrs. Kerr, 116 Donore terrace, South Circular road, Dublin.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 6.

BRADSHAW—October 22, 1924, at Essexvale, South Rhodesia, Henry Lysaght, youngest son of the late Samuel Evans Bradshaw, Tipperary.

CRAWLEY—November 24, 1924, at a Nursing Home in Dublin, Elizabeth J. (Lilly), widow of the late Edward George Chetwode Crawley, and second daughter of Thomas and Margaret McDonald, "Iona," Dundalk. Sadly mourned by her son and relatives. Funeral private.

HERRICK—November 24, 1924, at Elpis Nursing Home, Dublin, Captain John Edward Henry, of Belmount, Crookstown, County Cork, aged 60. Funeral from Belmount House to-morrow (Thursday) at 12 o'clock.

PLUNKETT—November 23, 1924, at the Ursuline Convent, Thurles, County Tipperary, Susan (in religion Mother Bernard Paul), eldest daughter of the late George Plunkett, Solicitor, Dublin. R.I.P.

WOODS—November 22, 1924, at 308-310 Athens street, South Boston, Mass., U.S.A., John, eldest son of the late Owen and Catherine Woods, of Carlingford.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Mrs. Wayte and family, "Homestead," Iona road, wish to sincerely thank the many kind friends who sent messages of sympathy and floral tributes during their recent sad loss. They trust this acknowledgment will be accepted by all, as it would be impossible to write to each individually.

IN MEMORIAM.

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Dated this 26th day of November, 1924.
JOHN T. GUIHAN, 17 D'Olier street, Dublin, Solicitor for Ellen Harrington, the intended Administratrix.

IN THE GOODS OF
THE VERY REVEREND CHARLES J. CANON MALONE, late of 50 Rathgar road, in the County of Dublin, Parish Priest, deceased.
All persons claiming to be creditors, or otherwise to have any claims or demands against the estate of the above-named Deceased, who died on the 18th day of November, 1924, are requested to furnish particulars of same (in writing) immediately to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executor.
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SAORSTAT EIREANN.
IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE.
"IN BANKRUPTCY."
In the Matter of
J. J. CRONIN, of Ashe street, Listowel, in the County of Kerry, Merchant, a Bankrupt.
A Public Sitting in this matter will be held before the Chief Registrar, at the Law Courts, The Castle, Dublin, on Monday, the 8th day of December, 1924, at the hour of Eleven o'clock, forenoon, for the proof and admission of debts, and for the vouching of the Official Assignee's account.
A creditor may prove his debt at the sitting, or send his affidavit of debt in the prescribed form, or his detailed account to the under-named Official Assignee four days previously to the sitting, in order to have the same admitted.
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HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE.
In the Matter of the Estate of
HELENA MARGARET GALLAGHER, late of Red House, Castlefin, in the County of Donegal, Widow, Deceased.
Between
JOHN A. CULLEN and FRANCIS J. LITTLE, Plaintiffs;
And
HUGH GALLAGHER, MARY GALLAGHER, JAMES GALLAGHER, PAUL GALLAGHER, JOSEPH GALLAGHER, LEO GALLAGHER, and HENRY GALLAGHER, Defendants.
Notice is hereby given that the funds standing in Court to the credit of the above-mentioned matter and cause are about to be finally allocated.
Any person who has obtained a Stop Order or Charging Order affecting the said funds, or any part thereof, is required forthwith to lodge such Order with the Chief Clerk, Room 38, Upper Castle Yard, Dublin.
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THOS. W. ELLERKER, Chief Clerk.
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The 10.25 a.m., Castlecomer to Kilkenny, will leave at 10.0 a.m.
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Applications, accompanied by satisfactory evidence of qualifications, must reach me not later than 12 o'clock noon on Monday, the 8th day of December, 1924.

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By Order,
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MILLINERY and Mantles—Wanted, superior Charge and Buyer; must have first class experience and be accustomed to keen, progressive trade; state salary indoor, religion, enclose copies references.—Kirkpatrick Bros., Enniskillen. 21 C

MESSENGER, about 16, Wanted at once.—D 36, this office.

NORTH Circular road—Advertisements for this Paper received by Mr. Lonergan, Newsagent and Confectioner, Ye Olde Toll House, Phoenix Park Gate, North Circular road. X

OCEAN Liners—Beginners as Stewards, Stewardesses, Clerks. Write Cook, Ship street, Brighton. 8 18

PENSIONER (Protestant) Wanted, collect accounts; not over 40; wages £2.—D 32, this office.

STATIONERY Assistant Wanted, one with thorough knowledge of printing; state salary required.—C 1876, this office. 24 E

ST. Andrew's College, Dublin.—Applications are invited for the following appointments:—(1) Junior Master, mainly for Mathematics and Games, salary £200; (2) Mistress for Preparatory School, salary £100. Duties will commence in each case, on 12th January. Testimonials, etc., should be lodged with the Headmaster before 6th December.

THE Art of Writing—A vital matter for young Irish men and women—by the conductor of the Students' Page of the "Weekly Irish Times," To-day. F

WANTED, several Boys and Girls, over 14 years of age, must have been educated at a good school, to take part in a Competitive Examination. To celebrate the opening of new premises in December at 42 Grafton street, the Directors of the De Bear Schools have decided to award £100, to be devoted to Day and Evening Free Scholarships, including books and stationery, and one year's Training in Shorthand, Touch Typewriting, Bookkeeping, Business Methods, and English. The Examination takes place on Saturday, 6th December. There is no entrance fee. The successful candidates will be assisted to obtain good positions when the period of training is completed. Application forms and full particulars from the Principal, the De Bear Schools, Ltd., 52 Lower Sackville street, Dublin. X

WANTED, smart young Men, aged 18 to 21 (Protestant), as Shorthand Writer and Typist in a city firm; must be quick at figures. Reply, giving references, experience, etc., C 1810, this office. 22 D

WANTED, young Woman, with cheerful disposition, as Companion to invalid lady, I.O., nice country place; good home and small remuneration offered; full particulars. Address "Z 4446, Companion," this office.

WANTED immediately by a first class House, smart, steady Junior (Protestant) for Leather and Shoe Finding Department; splendid opening, with good prospects of promotion; send age, experience, and salary (indoor), with copies references. Address "Z 4447, Junior," this office. 24 D

WANTED, smart, intelligent Boy as Junior Office Assistant. Apply, own handwriting, stating age and references, D 12, this office.

WANTED, for country, Co. Wicklow, respectable Boy, I.O., with knowledge grocery and provisions; state full particulars and wages required. Address "Z 4458, Boy," this office. 24 F

WANTED, young Lady, with knowledge of shorthand and typewriting, to learn the Gramophone Business; state salary expected.—D 45, this office.

WANTED, by city establishment, good Business Woman to Sell well known Household Article and Collect Accounts; must have good references and give security; cyclist preferred. Apply, by letter, giving full particulars as to age, previous employment, and salary required, to C 1977, this office. 25 F

WANTED, Bicycle Messenger.—Cambridge, Grafton street.

MONEY, PARTNERSHIPS, ETC.

A LOAN from £10 upwards can be had; reasonable interest, long terms; Dublin only.—C 85, this office. 78 18

A. ELKINSON, 48 Aungier street—Ex-British Officers' Vouchers Cashed. Advances on Endowment Policies. 26 10

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LOANS—The Commercial Union Loan and Discount Co., Ltd., 57 Middle Abbey street, Dublin, grant Loans. Apply to Manager. 26 25

PARTNERSHIP Wanted in Business, well established or capable of development; £500 available.—C 1773, this office. 21 C

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LEGAL APPOINTMENTS.

SOLICITOR, seven years qualified, experienced in Conveyancing, Probate, Costs and all work, desires to hear of Assistantship in city or country office; competent to take charge.—C 1782, this office. 21 C

WANTED, energetic Law Clerk, about 25 years of age, must be experienced, for Midland County town; state salary required, send copies references; R.C. Address "Z 4462, Clerk," this office. 24 E

MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS.

CHEMIST'S Assistant (Northerner) desires situation in Dublin; 4½ years' experience; excellent reference. Address "Z 4493, Assistant," this office. 25 F

CONTENTS of Chemical Laboratory for Sale; Chemicals, Bottles, Apparatus.—D 22, this office. 25 F

MRS. Dignam, Masseuse.—15 Brighton Gardens, Rathgar. 24 E

MATERNITY Nurse, holding C.M.B. certificate, would like to hear of vacancy in nursing home; good references.—D 37, this office. 23 D

NURSE Attendant (Protestant) disengaged; outdoor; night duty preferred.—Miss Wilson, 17 Chester road, Ranelagh.

REGISTERED Druggist desires situation, Dublin or suburbs; 5 years' experience; excellent references. Address "Z 4416, Druggist," this office. 22 D

RESPECTABLE Person would Nurse Invalid; highly recommended.—Nurse, 34 Dodder View, Ballsbridge. 25 D

TRAINED Nurse will care elderly lady or gentleman in her own comfortable home; references; terms moderate.—C 1822, this office. 24 E

WANTED, Nurse Attendant to care elderly lady; must be strong and good lifter; Co. Dublin.—N. A., Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 24 C

YOUNG Lady, Prelim. passed, desires Apprenticeship to Chemist, city or provincial town. Address "Z 4436, Apprentice," this office. 23 D

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WANTED, Housekeeper for city hotel; experienced; copies references, full particulars re age, salary, etc.—C 1790, this office. 21 C

EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

EXPERIENCED young Housemaid; hotel preferred; excellent long references.—C 1991, this office.

WAITRESS wishes to hear of place, city or country; recommended.—23 Spencer street, North Stran. 24 C

CLERICAL.

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REPRESENTATIVES WANTED.

AGENT Wanted for Northern Ireland, to represent well-known Manufacturers and to call upon Hardware Dealers, House Furnishers, General Drapers. Sound proposition to energetic person; only first class men need apply; references.—The English Textilose Manufacturing Co., Ltd., Trafford Park, Manchester. 20 X

FIRST class young Man required to represent well known London Firm in Free State for Piece Goods; must reside in Dublin. Address, with full details, Box No. 1536, Irish Times Branch Office, Belfast. 24 C

IMPORTANT German Firm manufacturing Domestic Dyes require Sole Agents. Send full details of experience to Box 110, Sell's, Fleet street, London, E.C. 4.

SCOTTISH Chocolate House, with good range of lines, Wants Representation by wholesale house with travelling staff canvassing Free State. Address "Z 4417, Representative," this office. 22 C

WANTED, City Traveller with connection amongst small shops, cheap quick selling lines; small salary and commission.—D 52, this office. 25 D

£600 PER annum—Oil Traveller having good connection Wanted for leading Oil Company supplying the largest motor engineers throughout the Free State; splendid opportunity for live man; state full particulars and turnover. Address "Z 4335, Traveller," this office. 20 X

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TRAVELLER, doing Dublin and County Dublin, wholesale Tea, Wine and Spirits, presently engaged, would like to hear from firm open for same.—D 55, this office.

YOUNG Traveller disengaged, any lines; drive motor car; reliable, well recommended; age 34.—C 1971, this office. 24 E

TUITIONS AND SCHOLARSHIPS.

ALL Professional and University Prelims., Oral and Correspondence. Success lists free.—McGUIRE'S COLLEGE, Sackville street, Dublin. T

ACADEMIC Tuition—Matriculation, Pharmaceutical, Solicitors', Surgeons', Preliminaries; unlimited individual attention; success guaranteed. — Ormonde Academy, Rathmines. 21 C

ALL About Aerials—Things you want to know: How to Insulate Correctly. See the Wireless Special in the "Weekly Irish Times" To-day. F

BANJO, Banjoline, Mandoline, Violin, Piano, Singing Lessons from Professor.—D 11, this office.

EXPERIENCED Lady Graduate, residing at Dunleary, gives French Conversational Lessons; terms moderate.—E. L., Irish Times Branch Office, Dunleary. 25 F

FORTHCOMING Clerical Examinations—Special Classes formed; highest successes, Nov., 1923.—Miss Regan's Civil Service and Commercial College, 4 and 5 Nassau street. 25 F

HOW to Secure Cheaper Milk.—Read the Goat Column in the "Weekly Irish Times" To-day. F

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SHORTHAND, Typewriting, Bookkeeping, etc.—Metropolitan College (Gillespie's), 100 Lower Mount street. 'Phone 3055. T

SHORTHAND, Typewriting—Expert personal Tuition, morning, afternoon, or evening; rapid results. Interviews after 5, Murphy, 15 Appian Way. 12 24

TUTOR (Undergraduate, Trinity College), having had much experience in teaching, will Teach Boys under 18 years of age at his residence, or in the pupils' homes.—D 29, this office. 25 A

THE Art of Writing—A vital matter for young Irish men and women—by the conductor of the Students' Page of the "Weekly Irish Times," To-day. F

GOVERNESSES AND TUTORS WANTED.

AGENT FOR GOVERNESSES AND SCHOOLS. Miss Bellingham Todd, 5 Grafton st., Dublin. Advises Parents and Managers. Tel. No 5258. T

WANTED, for six months from 1st January, 1925, Substitute, Male or Female, for Principal, village school, near Dublin, under National Board; J.A.M. employed. Replies to "Z 4479, Substitute," this office. 24 E

WANTED, young Protestant Governess; two girls, 8 and 11; all subjects, drawing, painting; Midlands; state salary; give references. Address "Z 4475, Governess," this office. 25 F

WANTED, January, Girls' School, Dublin, Resident Mistress (I.C.) for Junior Classes; knowledge of kindergarten work, games and elementary mathematics a recommendation; send copies of testimonials and state salary. Address "Z 4484, Mistress," this office. 25 X

EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

BOOKKEEPER (Male), 14 years' experience, desires vacancy; double entry and departmental system; highest credentials.—C 1945, this office. 24 E

CITY young Man has mornings free; take any position; can drive car.—C 1850, this office. 22 D

DANCE Trombonist, double handed Cornet, seeks engagements; reliable.—C 1969, this office. 24 C

DRESSMAKER, ladies' houses; makes ladies' and children's clothes, alterations.—D 50, this office.

DRESSMAKER, go daily; Alterations, Loose Covers, etc.—S., Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

ENERGETIC, smart, respectable young Man, knowledge motor trade, shipping, production keeping, goods checker, timekeeping, etc., desires post as Clerk; excellent penman; highly recommended.—C 1960, this office. 23 F

ENERGETIC, elderly Protestant Gentleman would assist on lady's Poultry Farm for keep as family. Address "Z 4496, Gentleman," this office.

GENTLEWOMAN desires post (daily), afternoons or mornings, Housekeeping; excellent cook; Companion or Secretarial work.—D 43, this office. 25 F

LADY Bookkeeper Typist and Secretary, six years' experience, desires change, highly recommended.—C 1866, this office. 24 E

LADY Help (Protestant) desires post, Cooking and Housework; good reference. Address "Z 4454, Help," this office. 24 E

SHORTHAND Typist and Bookkeeper; 4 years' commercial experience; highest references, desires post.—C 1907, this office. 24 C

EMPLOYMENT WANTED CONTINUED.

TWO young Girls, well educated, seek positions at Bar and Grocery; nice home; small fee if required; no experience.—C 1781, this office. 21 C

VIOLINIST—Lady, experienced, disengaged, requires city engagement; good sight reader; moderate.—D 39, this office. 25 F

YOUNG Lady Shorthand Typist desires position; good certificates, experience, good references; well educated, speed 120.—C 1750, this office. 21 C

YOUNG Lady wishes Mother's Help (I.C.); outdoor.—C 1830, this office. 24 C

YOUNG Lady seeks position as Mother's Help; fond of children, energetic; highest references.—D 23, this office.

YOUNG Gentleman, age 23, at present in bank, country branch, seeks position, with prospects, in Dublin, as Clerk, Cashier, or similar. Address "Z 4467, Clerk," this office. 25 D

YOUNG Man seeks situation as Junior to the General Drapery and Outfitting; best references; Protestant. Address "Z 4455, Man," this office. 25 D

£5 OFFERED to person procuring Clerical position for gentleman; has excellent testimonials and well educated.—C 1909, this office. 24 C

MALE SERVANTS WANTED.

RABBIT Trappers—Wanted, two experienced Men, with own gear; state price per couple. Send references, W. Trench, Clonodfoy, Kilmallock. 24 E

WANTED, Woodranger (Protestant); wages £1 per week, free house, garden, and firewood; age not over 35; South-East. Address "Z 4437, Woodranger," this office. 24 D

WANTED immediately, respectable Protestant General Man, single, take care church, pony, gardening. Address "Z 4501, Man," this office. 25 D

MALE SERVANTS DISENGAGED.

BUTLER and Valet (Protestant), take job; wages £50.—D 40, this office.

EX-SOLDIER wishes situation with gentleman; good indoor servant, attend table and clean motor car, or good gardener.—D 34, this office. 25 F

HERD, Caretaker, or Shepherd (I.C.), married, life experience, would take charge; good reference. Address "Z 4470, Herd," this office. 25 D

LADY Rathdonnell recommends Singlehanded Footman; can valet and clean hunting things; free now; also capable Oddman; both Protestants. Apply Butler, Lisnavagh, Rathvilly, Co. Carlow.

MALE Cook, experienced; recommended; General to bachelor.—Michael O'Connell, Fishery, Valentia Island. 24 F

PANTRY Boy, highly recommended, wishes employment; give service (small pay) for comfortable home; or any other work.—C 1954, this office. 22 D

RESPECTABLE married Man (R.C.) seeks situation, Herd, Shepherd, or Caretaker; highest references. Address "Z 4407, Herd," this office. 24 E

RESPECTABLE Man seeks position as Yard and General Man; good knowledge of gardening, good milker; no family; wife milk if required; excellent references.—C 1974, this office. 24 E

RABBIT Trapper seeks engagement, permanent or job; first class trapper and snarer; highly recommended; Protestant; please state terms. Address "Z 4498, Trapper," this office. 25 D

TWO Trappers seek employment, week or couple, or will give 8d. per couple on a good place.—Trappers, Lough Cutra, Gort, Co. Galway. 25 D

TRAPPER disengaged, work or rent well stocked places. Address "Z 4503, Trapper," this office. 25 D

YOUNG Man disengaged; single, drive oil engine, care motor, milk. Address "Z 4452, Man," this office. 24 E

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS DISENGAGED.

SITUATION Wanted as Steward; 20 years in present situation; understands all farm management, also buying and selling of stock. Address "Z 4483, Steward," this office. 25 F

WORKING Steward; cattle, sheep, all farm machinery; 7 years last place. Apply Rev. F. Allen, Castlemagner Rectory, Lombardstown. 21 D

WORKING Gardener and General Man, 30, single, seeks re-engagement; long and satisfactory discharges. Address "Z 4424, Gardener," this office. 23 D

WORKING Steward seeks situation, married, Protestant; thoroughly understands his business; well recommended. Address "Z 4442, Steward," this office. 24 E

WORKING Steward, Caretaker, or Herd seeks re-engagement; thorough knowledge of all duties; Wife dairy or poultry if required; highly recommended.—Hogan, Mount Wolseley, Tullow, Co. Carlow. 25 F

DOMESTICS WANTED.

WORKING Housekeeper Wanted immediately; quiet place, Galway; two in family; state age, salary, send copies of references. Address "Z 4370, Housekeeper," this office. 21 C

YOUNG Girl Wanted daily, boardinghouse; well recommended. Apply 4 Upper Gardiner street. 24 C

YOUNG girl Wanted (live out) do Housework and help with baby (10 months); must be will recommended. Apply, between 4 and 5, to 19 Leeson Park avenue, Ranelagh.

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COOKS AND DAIRYMAIDS WANTED.

COOK General—Can lady recommend good Cook who would assist in household work? Address "Z 4423, Cook," this office. 23 D

COOK General required, plain cooking; house parlourmaid kept; Irish family; good wages, according to age and experience. Write, with references (copies), to Lady Cooper, 16 Uxbridge road, Kingston-on-Thames, England.

GOOD Plain Cook; country place; small dairy; two in family.—Levinge, Violetstown, Mullingar. 21 C

WANTED, Cook General, three in family; house parlourmaid kept; no washing; assistance given by man in morning; all modern conveniences. Call, bring references, 11.5 o'clock, Mrs. de Burgh Daly, Priory Lodge, Grove avenue, Blackrock. 24 C

YOUNG Cook General and House Parlourmaid Wanted immediately; family 3; good reference.—Debenham, 17 Pemberton Gardens, Upper Holloway, London. 25 F

GENERALS WANTED.

AN experienced young General Wanted immediately; no cooking.—7 Bloomfield avenue. 24 E

ANY number good Generals for Dublin, Manchester, London.—Kennedy's, 68 Sackville street.

A GENERAL Maid Wanted for family 3 adults; satisfactory references essential; good wages. Call after 2 o'clock, or write, 21 Park Drive, Cowper Gardens. 25 D

CAPABLE young Protestant General Wanted; early riser; small washing; adults; modern house, Rathmines.—D 49, this office.

EXPERIENCED young General Wanted immediately; good cook; family 2. Apply, 12-2, or after 6, 60 Upper Leeson street. 25 D

GENERAL Servant and Parlour Maid for Protestant family in Belfast; young persons willing to learn preferred. Apply with copies of references and wages, Address Box No. 1534, Irish Times Branch Office, Belfast. C

GOOD Generals and Cook Generals Wanted at once.—Miss Clifford, 5 South Frederick street.

GOOD General Wanted immediately; early riser, plain cooking, washing. Call 7-9 p.m., or write, 38 Sydney avenue, Blackrock. 25 D

GENERALS, with good references, Wanted; fares paid; £25 a year.—Ward's Registry, Washway road, Sale, Manchester. 25 D

GENERAL Servant Wanted. Apply, with references, to Mrs. Digges, Killarney House, Bray. 25 D

WANTED immediately, respectable Girl as General. Apply Inchrory, Westfield road, Harold's Cross. 24 C

WANTED, experienced General; family 2; good outings. Apply, with reference, 8 Cowper road, Rathmines. 24 E

WANTED, December 15th, good General Servant for Ranelagh; 3 in family; state wages.—C 1923, this office. 24 E

WANTED, young General; small family, no children.—42 Belgrave square, Rathmines.

WANTED, a young Person as General, for London; 3 in family.—91 Addison road, Kensington, London.

WANTED, General, experienced, refs.; plain cooking, small wash. Write Molloy, 16 Erving terrace, Morecambe, Lancs., England. 25 E

WANTED, December 10th, experienced General, Glenageary.—D. E., Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

WANTED, capable General; good wages; liberal outings; comfortable home; modern house; pleasant suburb; references essential; fare paid.—36 Riverway, Palmer's Green, London, N.13. 25 F

WANTED, outdoor elderly General or Working Housekeeper for city; must be strictly clean, good plain cook; state wages.—D 59, this office.

DOMESTICS CONTINUED.

HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS WANTED.

HOUSEMAID, experienced, second of three; tall, good needlewoman; Protestant; age about 25; good wages.—D 53, this office.

WANTED, House Parlour Maid; must be young; country girl preferred.—Casson, Meudon, Swords. 21 C

WANTED, House Parlourmaid, strong, well recommended; wages £26. Send copy last paper or call before ten or after six, Shandon, Monkstown, Dublin. 23 D

WANTED at once, thoroughly experienced House Parlourmaid; must valet and wait well. Apply, sending copies references, stating wages required, Mrs. Chute, Dooneen, Patrickswell, Co. Limerick. 24 D

WANTED, young girl as Under Housemaid, or to train, help in pantry a little; I.C.; country place.—Palmer, Rahan, Edenderry. 24 E

WANTED, Housemaid, good clean worker, good references; wages £18 and chances.—C 1968, this office. 24 E

NURSES WANTED.

AGENT for NURSES, MAIDS and ATTENDANTS. Miss Bellingham Todd, 5 Grafton street, Dublin. Interviews daily. Tel. No. 5258. T

AN experienced person Wanted as Children's Nurse; send copies references.—Meagher, Newsagent, Roscrea. 25 E

WANTED, for suburbs, young Protestant Nurse or Mother's Help.—C 1940, this office. 24 C

WANTED, 8th December, experienced Nurse Housemaid, Bray; wages £24.—591, Irish Times Branch Office, Bray. 25 F

KITCHEN, LAUNDRY, ETC., WANTED.

WANTED, good Laundress, 3 days weekly, willing to do some scrubbing; Terenure district.—C 1734, this office. 21 C

WANTED, early December, good Kitchenmaid, some experience necessary; must have excellent references. Apply Mrs. G. C. Mitchell, Ballynure, Grange Con, Co. Wicklow. 24 X

DOMESTICS DISENGAGED.

AT Blackwood's, 41 Lower Mount street—Cooks (first class), permanent, temporary, R.C., Protestant; also Housekeepers, Cook Generals disengaged. 'Phone, 4179.

GIRL wants few days' work weekly, Terenure or Rathgar.—R C 1376, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

LADY recommends superior person for Flats, small Private Hotel; excellent cook; reference.—167, Irish Times Branch Office, Ranelagh. 25 D

RESPECTABLE Protestant woman seeks daily work, Sandycove to Blackrock; used to invalids; highest reference.—R. P., Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

RESPECTABLE Girl wants few days' work; recommended.—37, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge.

WORKING Housekeeper, plain cooking, seeks situation to gentleman; highest references.—C 1987, this office.

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COOK, Plain, desires situation in small family; good papers.—C 1883, this office.

COOK disengaged; dairy, fowl; £30. Address "Z 4472, Cook," this office. 24 C

EXPERIENCED Cook General or Kitchenmaid; good references.—C 1989, this office.

EXPERIENCED young Cook General disengaged; highly recommended. Reply Murphy, 5 Herbert lane, Baggot street.

GOOD Cook; take job, town, country; good papers, recommended.—C 1993, this office.

GENERALS DISENGAGED.

COUNTRY Girl wishes situation as General; good reference. Address "Z 4410, General," this office. 22 D

COUNTRY Girl, go experienced General; small family; highly recommended.—C 1992, this office.

COUNTRY Girl wishes situation as General; excellent references.—Jane Swan, Coldblow, Lucan.

COUNTRY Girl (17) wishes to be trained as General; once out before.—C., Harte's, Newsagency, Mountmellick.

FIRST class General requires situation; well recommended; wages £32.—R C 1370, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 24 C

GENERAL; steady, respectable woman; plain cook, understands dairy; good references; city, country.—C 1982, this office. 25 D

GOOD young country Girl to train General.—C 1998, this office.

GENERAL; plain cooking, good worker; city, suburbs; highly recommended.—C 1986, this office.

GENERALS and Cook Generals highly recommended and interviewed at Registry, Islington avenue, Sandycove.

LADY wishes to recommend excellent young General; strictly honest and capable.—C 1845, this office. 22 D

LADY recommends country Girl, General; small family; city, suburbs.—C 1988, this office.

RESPECTABLE Woman wants small place as General; home object; small wages; highest references.—B., 24 Castle street, Dalkey. 24 C

STRONG young country Girl wishes a situation as a General Servant (R.C.), Dublin or England. Address "Z 4497, Girl," this office.

TWO respectable Girls wish situations together as Generals; good experience; wages expected £18. Address "Z 4326, Girls," this office. 20 C

WANTED, a post as General; Rathmines or Rathgar preferred.—R C 1368, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 24 D

YOUNG country Girl to train General; good references.—C 1996, this office.

YOUNG General; plain cooking, small washing; suburbs; highly recommended.—C 1997, this office.

YOUNG General; good plain cook; suburbs; good papers. Address "Z 4476, General," this office.

YOUNG Girl, General; home experience; never out before; priest's reference.—Tallon, Coates lane, Wicklow.

HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS DISENGAGED.

FIRST class House Parlourmaid disengaged; city, suburbs; excellent papers.—C 1995, this office.

PARLOURMAIDS, H. P'maids, H'maids, Between-maids disengaged.—Blackwood's 41 Lr. Mount st.

YOUNG Housemaid seeks situation (outdoor); North side; well recommended.—C 1990, this office.

YOUNG House Parlourmaid would go General; small family; recommended.—C 1985, this office.

NURSES DISENGAGED.

EXPERIENCED Nurse (35), take entire charge of baby from birth; city preferred. Address "Z 4430, Nurse," this office. 24 C

NURSES—Several excellent disengaged, also Nurse Housemaid.—Blackwood's, Lower Mount street.

WANTED immediately, nice position, Nurse, Mother's Help, or Housemaid; needlewoman; experienced; highly recommended. Apply Miss Derwin, Ballymahon P.O., Mullingar.

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BAR-LOCK Typewriter for Sale; price £5.—D 56, this office.

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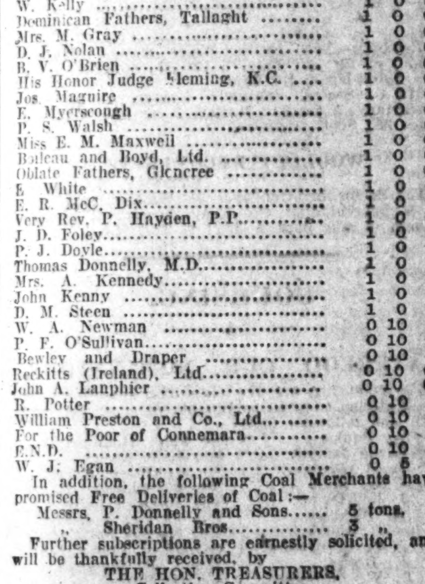

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The defendant said that the milk had not been tampered with. The exceptionally bad weather might account for a deficiency in fats.

YESTERDAYS, CASES IN THE COURTS.

DUBLIN POLICE COURTS.

A QUESTION OF PRACTICE.

(Before Mr. Justice Sullivan, President of the High Court; Mr. Justice O'Shaughnessy, and Mr. Justice Murnaghan.)

In the case of the King (Ward) v. Mark Cooper, K.C., Divisional Justice, Police District of Dublin Metropolis,

Mr. Joseph O'Connor, with whom was Mr. W. J. Gleeson (instructed by Messrs. Noyk and O'Reilly), applied on behalf of Patrick Ward, 2 Sussex terrace, Mespil road, Dublin, to have made absolute a conditional order of *certiorari* and a conditional order of *mandamus* against Mr. Cooper with reference to a conviction of Patrick Ward on a charge of being drunk in charge of a motor van on the 8th February last.

Counsel, stating the facts, said that on the 8th February Patrick Ward was arrested in Grafton street for negligently driving a motor car whereby he knocked down a cyclist. In the Police Station the policeman who arrested him came to the conclusion that he was under the influence of drink, and directed the attention of the station sergeant to him. The accused man's employer sent for a doctor to examine him, and the police doctor was also sent for and examined the man, and as the result of the report of the two doctors the station sergeant refused to enter a charge of drunkenness against him. On the following day, when Ward was brought before the divisional magistrate, and the policeman was giving evidence on the charge of negligently driving a motor car this allegation of drunkenness was elicited in cross-examination by the solicitor defending Ward. Mr. Cooper then remanded the accused man until the 13th February, and on that date directed the police constable to take the man to the Bridewell and enter a charge of drunkenness against him. Mr. Cooper tried the man himself and convicted him on this charge.

Mr. O'Connor said that the grounds of his application were, bias, and that a deposition used in another charge and not re-sworn in the charge of drunkenness was relied on by the magistrate in coming to a determination of the charge of drunkenness. He did not suggest that there was any conscious bias, but notwithstanding the protests of Ward's solicitor, Mr. Cooper not only directed the prosecution, but adjudicated on it.

Mr. Costello (intructed by the Chief State Solicitor), who appeared on behalf of Mr. Cooper, said that the practice on which Mr. Cooper acted in the present case had been in operation in the Dublin Police Courts for forty years, and if their lordships decided that it was an improper practice, it would be a gratifying thing to know that it took the establishment of the Free State and the Free State Courts to question, and set that practice right. Counsel, from the affidavits, said that the police constable gave positive evidence that the man was so drunk that he went into a butcher's shop, thinking that it was Mercer's Hospital, that he had to be held up, and that it was three hours after his arrest that he was seen by the doctors. When the solicitor for Ward, in cross-examination asked why a charge of drunkenness was not brought, was the magistrate not entitled to say that there were grounds for believing that a charge of drunkenness should be brought against the man

Mr. Justice O'Shaughnessy said that he was in favour of granting a *mandamus.* The point was whether a magistrate can, in the hearing of a charge, direct that the police who had made no charge in respect of another matter, should make a charge in respect of that other matter, bring the man before him, and, notwithstanding objection to his acting, should act and convict the man. He thought that that was a very serious matter, and a matter that raised questions of a very serious nature. He thought that a mandamus should go to Mr. Cooper to state the facts, and they could be determined by that Court, and, if necessary, by the Supreme Court.

Mr. Justice Murnaghan said that he was of opinion that they could not set aside the conviction on the ground of bias, but he was of opinion that what had occurred had raised a question of law of considerable importance. He agreed with Mr. Justice O'Shaughnessy that a mandamus should go on that point, as to whether the magistrate, having directed a charge, could hear it himself.

Mr. Justice O'Sullivan said that he was not prepared to dissent from his colleagues, but his own view would have been that the question must be a question of bias or no bias. The opinon of his colleagues was that a question of law was raised, and accordingly he would not dissent from them.

A RATHFARNHAM COTTAGE.

JUSTICE'S DECISION UPHELD.

In the case of the King (Acton) v. the District Justice in and for the Court District of Rathfarnham,

Mr. G. Moonan (instructed by Mr. John Moran) applied on behalf of John Acton, of Rosebank, Rathfarnham, for an order to make absolute a conditional order of *certiorari,* for the purpose of having quashed an order of Mr. Cussen, District Justice, directing the applicant to give up possession of the cottage occupied by him, as he stated, as steward in the employment of Mr. Robert Newell, of Rosebank, Rathfarnham.

Counsel contended that the order was bad in law, because Mr. Cussen had no power to amend the summons, as he did, by adding, after the description of the applicant as caretaker, the words "or servant," and that a question of title ousted the jurisdiction of the Justice, whose order, he further contended was bad by ambiguity in describing the occupation of the applicant as "caretaker or servant."

Mr. W. J. Gleeson (instructed by Messrs. Reddin and Reddin), who appeared for Mr. Newell, in support of the order of the District Justice, cited a decision of the Court of Appeal, holding that an order in the form of Mr. Cussen's order was correctly made under the section of the Act applicable to this case, and that the Justice had, under the statute, the fullest power to amend the summons as he had done. The point made that jurisdiction was ousted by a question of title had already been decided, and had no application to cases like the present.

Mr. Justice Sullivan said that the Court had come to the conclusion that the objections to Mr. Cussen's order were not sustainable, and refused the motion with costs.

Mr. Justice O'Shaughnessy stated that the learned Justice had shown a correct appreciation of the section, and his order was perfectly in accordance with the decision of the Court of Appeal as cited by Mr. Gleeson.

Mr. Justice Murnaghan also concurred.

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"ACTION OF SERIOUS MOMENT."

FARMERS AND A GUARANTEE.

(Before Mr. Justice Murnaghan.)

In the case of the Irish Agricultural Wholesale Society, Ltd., v. Samuel J. McKeever and thirty-six other defendants, residing in different parts of County Louth,

Mr. Costello (instructed by Messrs. John T. Doyle and Co.) applied on behalf of the plaintiffs for an order for discovery of documents. The action was to recover £6,623 14s. 4d. alleged to be due by the defendants to the plaintiffs on foot of a guarantee of May, 1922, whereby the defendants jointly and severally guaranteed payment to the plaintiffs of all debts, liabilities and engagements of the Philipstown Co-operative Society, Ltd.

Counsel said that nine defences had been put in on behalf of various groups of these defendants. Pleas of fraud and false representation were made against the plaintiffs and their agents, and the action was one of serious moment for both the plaintiffs and the defendants.

Mr. Justice Murnaghan granted the order sought.

PLANS FOR A BUNGALOW.

THE SERVICE OF A WRIT.

In an intended action of Alfred E. Jones and Stephen S. Kelly, trading as Jones and Kelly, against John McGregor, formerly resident at 40 Pembroke road, Ballsbridge, and now residing at 119 Mortlake road, New Gardens, Surrey,

Mr. Costello (instructed by Mr. Francis Kennedy) applied for liberty to issue and serve on the intended defendant a writ out of the jurisdiction.

The intended defendant, it was alleged, was indebted to the plaintiffs in a sum of £73 15s. for professional work and services rendered in preparing plans and specifications for a bungalow at Killiney and a house at Merrion road.

Mr. Justice Murnaghan granted the order sought.

AN ENNIS ESTATE.

APPLICATION TO LODGE MONEY.

(Before Mr. Justice Meredith.)

In the case of MacNamara v. Emanuel, Mr. James Comyn (instructed by Mr. A. J. Norman), on behalf of the plaintiff, Mr. W. J. MacNamara, solicitor, applied that he be at liberty to lodge £3,370 to the credit of the matter. The plaintiff is administrator of the estate of the late Mrs. Amelia O'Meehan, widow of a merchant in Ennis; and counsel further applied that £250 of the money, as part of his distributive share of the assets, be paid out to enable William J. O'Meehan, the surviving son of the deceased, at present resident in Chicago, to come to Ireland in connection with the administration, and to pay the expenses of his son in completing his course in dentistry.

Mr. Justice Meredith made an order granting the first part of the application, but refused the second part of the payment out of the money.

Mr. V. Wilson (instructed by Messrs. Fottrell and Son) appeared for the defendant.

A FARMER'S WILL.

ESTATE GOES TO WIDOW.

(Before Mr. Justice Johnston.)

In the probate suit of Johanna O'Meara, widow, of Ballybeagh, Co. Kilkenny, against Bridget O'Meara, spinster, and Nicholas O'Meara, farmer, both of Cussane, Carrick-on-Suir, Co. Tipperary.

The plaintiff claimed to be executrix of the last will, dated 3rd October, 1923, of Thomas O'Meara, Ballybeagh, who died on the 9th October, 1923, and to have the will established. The testator was a farmer and held about 21 Irish acres of land, the annuity payable to the Land Commission being £7 a year.

The defendants, Nicholas O'Meara, brother of the testator, and Bridget O'Meara, a sister of the testator, each entered a caveat to the will. A writ was then issued against Bridget and Nicholas O'Meara, but the latter did not enter an appearance. Bridget O'Meara entered a defence to the writ, and, in addition to the three usual statutory grounds, pleaded that the will was obtained by undue influence.

Mr. Kingsmill Moore (instructed by Mr. Michael Buggy, solicitor), who appeared for the plaintiff, said that about ten days ago a letter was received from the defendants' solicitor, stating that the defendant, Bridget, was not proceeding further with her opposition to the will. At that moment there had been brought into court from the defendants' solicitor a letter agreeing to the will being admitted to probate. The assets, which included a small farm and deposit receipt, amounted to about £500.

Thomas Dowling, clerk to Mr. Buggy, solicitor, gave evidence of the execution of the will.

Mr. Justice Johnston gave judgment in favour of the will, with costs against the defendant, Bridget O'Meara.

LAND COMMISSION COURT.

A GRANT FROM HENRY VIII.

(Before Mr. Justice Wylie.)

Mr. Dickie, K.C., for Mr. James Henry (instructed by Mr. Thomas Early), applied on behalf of Mr. Michael Murphy, Clonturk Villa, Dublin, for a declaration that his holding, consisting of 16 acres, held under lease from the Corporation of Dublin, is one to which the Land Act of 1923 applies.

Mr. Battersby, K.C., with whom was Mr. P. O'C. White (instructed by the Law Agent), appeared for the Corporation.

The tenant gave evidence of using the land as a dairy farm. He sub-let certain houses on the land.

Mr. P. H. McCarthy, engineer, stated that it would be expensive, but not impossible, to connect the sewerage at the place with the city sewerage system. It was difficult to get the water supply to the place, except at night.

Mr. Battersby contended that the lands were excluded under Clause F of the Act, being potential building ground, and were held by the Corporation as a local authority for their purposes, powers and duties. They were first vested in the Corporation by Henry VIII.

Mr. John J. Murphy, Town Clerk, said that the lands were in the possession of the Corporation since the time of Henry VIII. There were now various villa lettings on the lands owned by the Corporation there. He described the different lettings, including Broom Hill, The Thatch and Broom Villa, and the holding of Mrs. Elizabeth Grimes, who made a similar application. There were villas on all these holdings except Murphy's. It was proposed to extend the city in that direction to include them. As to the water supply, the institution at Beaumont was supplied from the city.

In reply to Mr. Dickie, witness said that the Corporation also held lands at Mount Temple, which they let to a golf club, and the lands of All Hallowes, each leased for 900 years, and which they had entered into negotiations for acquiring. In addition to these they had very little land in the city. Witness could not say why the Corporation had not taken in the lands in question when extending the city to Clontarf. At the time there were no residences on them.

Mr. Dickie—Where will the extended city boundary be?

Witness—No man can put a boundary on the limits of a city.

Mr. Wilson (instructed by Messrs. Gore and Grimes), for Mrs. Grimes, in a similar application, said that there was a covenant in the lease under which the tenant should manage the holding in a husbandlike manner and in the regular course of husbandry. The Corporation, he said, should show that the lands had substantial value or utility, whether potential or actual, for building purposes.

Mr. Justice Wylie intimated that he would see both holdings before giving his decision.

DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT.

SEQUEL TO QUEEN'S THEATRE SCENE.

(Before Mr. Cussen.)

Bernard Conway, Daniel Mooney, John Nolan, Edward White and Christopher Goulding were charged with assembling outside the Queen's Theatre, Pearse street on the previous night between 8 and 9 p.m., with a view to prevent persons from entering the theatre; with preventing certain persons from working for the management; and with besetting the theatre by walking in front of the theatre and carrying placards bearing words of an untrue nature, namely, "Strike on at Queen's Theatre."

Mr. Clarke, of the Chief State Solicitor's Office, appeared for the prosecution. Mr. Alexander Lynn (instructed by Messrs. Smith and Sons) appeared for the accused. Mr. P. H. O'Reilly (Messrs. Noyk and O'Reilly) watched the case for the proprietors of the Queen's Theatre.

Sergeant O'Neill gave evidence of the arrest of Conway, Mooney and Nolan. They were walking in front of the Queen's Theatre, and witness arrested them for besetting.

Mr. Lynn—Only walking up and down?. Yes, for besetting, while there was no strike on.

How do you know there was no strike on? I was told so by the manager of the theatre.

Were these men on the footpath? No, on the carriage way, but large crowds were held up for some time.

Inspector Counihan gave evidence of arresting White and Goulding. They were carrying placards, stating there was a strike on. Witness asked them to go away, and they declined. He then brought them to the police station.

Mr. Lynn—Did you see these men prevent anyone from going to the theatre? I did not see them.

Michael J. Sutton, Secretary of the Theatrical Branch of the Workers' Union, said that there was a trade dispute at the Queen's Theatre.

In consequence of a report made to him by men who had been victimised it was decided to picket the theatre. Some of the men outside the theatre had formerly been employed at the theatre.

In cross-examination by Mr. Clarke, witness said that a man named Blacklock, a stage hand, had been dismissed.

Mr. Cussen said that every member of the public had the right to go to the door of the Queen's Theatre when it was open and ask for a ticket. When evidence was brought before him, suggesting that there was a *prima facie* case, where people were prevented from exercising that right, he held that he had a right to grant a remand. He allowed the men out, on their own bail of £5 each, until Friday at 2.30 p.m.

ALLEGED FRAUDULENT CONVERSION.

Morris Wilson, who gave his address as 16 Bloomfield terrace, Gateshead-on-Tyne, was returned for trial on bail of £100 on a charge of converting to his own use the sum of £50, the property of James Gleeson, Dublin.

Mr. Davis prosecuted. Mr. Joseph O'Connor, K.C., and Mr. W. J. Gleeson (instructed by Messrs. Noyk and O'Reilly) appeared for defendant.

James Gleeson stated that Morris Wilson represented the firm of Northfield and Co., moneylenders, Newcastle-on-Tyne. In answer to an advertisement, witness applied for a loan of £3,000. He was informed that he should pay £50 in lieu of interest in advance. This he did, and then applied for the loan. The firm replied that he would have to obtain two solvent sureties. He did so, but had not been able to get the loan nor his own £50.

Detective Sergeant Cullinan arrested the accused in Newcastle-on-Tyne.

THEFT FROM BIG STORES.

For stealing a tin of polish value sixpence and some decorations value ninepence from Woolworth's Stores, Henry street, Mary Purcell and Mary Bloomfield, 211 Parnell street, Dublin, were fined £2 10s. each by District Justice Cussen yesterday.

Mr. Cussen said that the thing was becoming intolerable, and he had determined to impose imprisonment in future cases.

ALLEGED THEFT.

(Before Mr. Collins.)

William Mulligan, of Montague place (off Harcourt street), and William Kelly, of 18 South King street, were remanded on bail on a charge of conspiring to steal tea and sugar, the property of their employers, Robert Roberts and Co., Ltd., 19 Suffolk street, and of stealing various quantities of tea and sugar and selling them in the past month.

CIRCUIT COURT.

HARD LABOUR FOR PICK-POCKET.

(Before Mr. Justice Drumgoole.)

Christopher Walsh pleaded guilty to a charge of pocket-picking at Rathfarnham. He had been arrested by Civic Guard Hayes and Sergeant Gibney, D.M.P.

In reply to the Judge, who inquired if anything was known of the prisoner, Sergeant Gibney said that Walsh had been convicted of highway robbery, and that he was a member of a gang of pickpockets who infested country places, and particularly race meetings.

He was sentenced to nine months' hard labour.

SHOPBREAKING CHARGES FAIL.

Edward Merry was tried on a charge of having broken and entered the shop premises of Maurice Wine, 2 Harcourt street, on the night of October 12th with intent to steal.

Mr. J. J. O'Shea, who resides next door to the premises, told the jury how about ten o'clock that Sunday night he heard broken glass falling at the rear of Mr. Wine's premises. He went out and saw a man with a light moving about on the premises. He identified that person in the Bridewell as the prisoner. Nothing was taken from the shop.

The prisoner, a paper-seller, in his evidence, denied that he was "the man," although he knew that others had planned the attack upon the jeweller's shop. Since he had previously been before the Court he had "acted straight," and he believed that this prosecution was the result of a conspiracy.

The prisoner was acquitted.

John Kearns was tried on a charge of having broken and entered the lock-up shop of Oscar Lipswith, 37 Aungier street, on the 29th June and the 1st July last, and stealing therefrom several clocks and watches, ladies' sports coats, a jacket, golf balls and other articles.

Mr. Lipswith told the jury that he closed his shop as usual on the night of June 28th, and when he came down on Monday morning he discovered what had happened. He closed up on the night of the 30th, and that night it was again entered and more property had been carried away.

Detective Mulvihill, D.M.P., told the jury that he found an old pocket wallet in Mr. Lipswith's shop after the entry, and that that wallet contained papers in the name of John Kearns, of Rathfarnham, which identified him as an ex-naval fireman. The prisoner admitted to the witness that the papers were his, but his defence was that they had been stolen from him.

The jury acquitted the prisoner.

LONG CAREER OF CRIME.

Thomas Wall, an old man, was tried on a charge of selling methylated spirits in Christchurch place on October 11.

A police constable told the jury that he saw the prisoner handing bottles to three women of a certain class, and apparently receiving money in return. He was arrested, and on the way to the station, in the course of a scuffle, two bottles of the liquid fell to the ground and were smashed.

Another witness stated that he had frequently seen the prisoner supplying women with methylated spirits.

The jury found the prisoner guilty, and, in sentencing him to two years' hard labour, the judge said that there were thirty-eight previous convictions, the first being in 1883, when he was sentenced for house-breaking. He had also been convicted of an assault upon a little girl, and twice for selling methylated spirit.

Mr. Carrigan, K.C., who conducted the prosecution, stated that the prisoner was a public menace, and that he had been the cause of the ruin of a multitude of unfortunate women.

ANOTHER REVOLVER CASE.

Vincent Poole and James Kavanagh were placed on trial on a charge of having, on the night of the 9th of June last, assaulted Cornelius Donovan and his wife, Elizabeth, in their house, 17 Hardwicke street; and also with having been at the time in possession, each, of a revolver. They pleaded not guilty, and were defended by Mr. Gleeson (instructed by Messrs. Noyk and O'Reilly) for Kavanagh, and Mr. A. Lynn (instructed by Messrs. William Smyth and Son) for Poole.

Cornelius Donovan, in his evidence, stated that he was a member of the Veterans' Club, Mountjoy square, and that on the night of 9th June, about 11.30, a number of men left the club, and a fight took place on the square. There had been drinking at the club. Two men boxed each other, and Poole was "keeping the ring with a gun (a revolver)." Witness interfered on behalf of one of the combatants, who was a friend of his, a man named Larkin. He went home and went to bed. He was not long there when the two prisoners came to the door and demanded admittance as military. His wife opened the door, and immediately both men presented a revolver at her. He believed they meant to do no harm.

Mr. Donovan said that they asked for Donovan, and said that they would "give him these." Shots were fired, but no one was injured.

On the suggestion of Mr. Carrigan, the case was adjourned till to-day, on the understanding that, if the revolvers were handed over to the police, a *nolle prosequi* would be entered.

NOTICE TO JURORS.

The judge said that a large attendance of jurors would be required at Green street to-day.

UNDER-SHERIFF'S COURT.

The Under Sheriff, Mr. Lorcan G. Sherlock, and a jury, sat in the City Grand Jury Room, Green street Courthouse, Dublin, yesterday to assess damages in an action brought by Michael Mooney, Tore, Tyrrellspass, County Westmeath, against Michael Roche, junior, of the same neighbourhood, in respect of the seduction of his stepdaughter, Elizabeth O'Brien.

Mr. James Geoghegan (instructed by Messrs. Nooney and Dowdall) appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. Walter Callan (instructed by Messrs. Hoey and Denning) represented the defendant.

The jury awarded £250 damages.

The jury also assessed damages in a case brought by Michael H. Hannigan, motor car proprietor and agent, Cashel, County Tipperary, against John Humphries, Cappamore, County Limerick, who was stated to have caused damage to an Overland motor car owned by the plaintiff by negligently driving it, and causing it to collide with a horse and cart.

Mr. H. J. Moloney (instructed by Mr. C. M. Barry, Cashel), appeared for the plaintiff.

Mr. Moloney said that the defendant had signed a statement accepting responsibility for the accident, but he failed to compensate the plaintiff for the damage caused. Repairs to the car cost £53, and it was subsequently sold at a loss of £85.

The jury allowed damages to the amount of £100.

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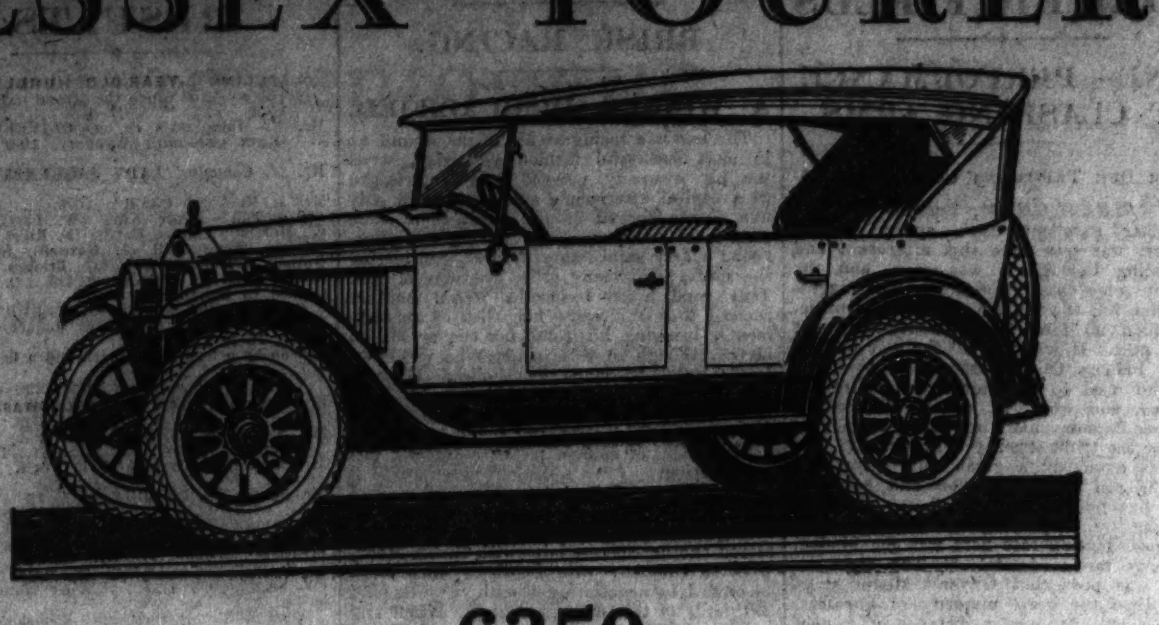

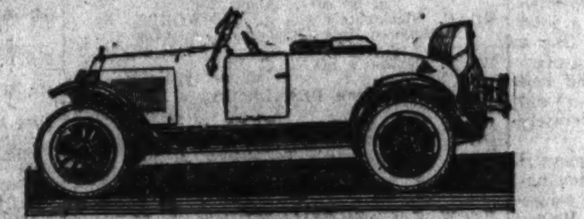

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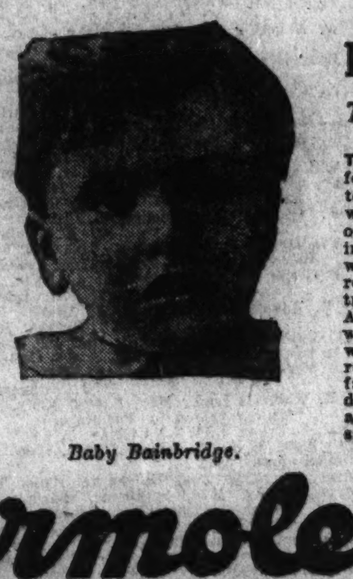

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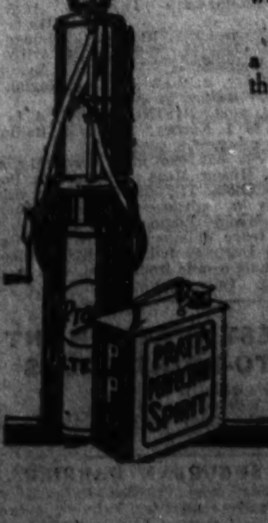

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MORE BIG FIELDS

FINE PERFORMANCE OF CLASHING ARMS.

(From Our Travelling Correspondent.)

BIRMINGHAM, Tuesday Night.

Another excellent day's sport, in fine weather, was seen here this afternoon, and the racing throughout was good, and the fields in some cases very large. The biggest was that for the Burton Handicap Hurdle, for which no fewer than twenty-two went to the post. It was won all the way by Mr. David Faber's Oliver's Mount, a five-year-old who used to be known as Goldsmith's Alliance, and who was sold at Tattersall's yard one Monday morning, about 18 months ago, for the trifle of sixty odd guineas. The horse is obviously a great stayer, for this event is run over two miles and five furlongs, but he cut them all down, and won cantering by three lengths. The favourite in a good betting race here was St. Madoc, who only ran moderately. The form all round was poor, but Oliver's Mount stays better than the great majority of hurdlers, and in events run over a distance of ground he is likely to win again.

Mr. Faber, his owner, was unlucky in not having won the King's Norton Handicap Steeplechase with Redbrae, the horse he bought from Mrs. R. H. Walker earlier in the year. He dead-heated for second place with Catamaran, the pair being only a head behind the winner, Gardenrath, who is trained and was ridden by Major E. C. Doyle. Redbrae was having the best of it all the way, but, after he jumped the last fence in front, his jockey, Jacklin, could give the horse no assistance when pitted against so fine a horseman as Major Doyle. Gardenrath, who used to be trained by Darby Rogers, is, at his best, a moderate animal, and here was receiving 2st. all but a pound from Redbrae. With the jockeys reversed Redbrae would have won easily.

BRILLIANT FENCING.

It was good to see again that brilliant horse, Clashing Arms, bowling along at the head of his field and fencing superbly. Although he won by only three-parts of a length he had a lot in hand, for he lost ground at the last fence through another horse hitting him as he took off. Clashing Arms has sobered down a good deal since last season. This afternoon he was not attempting to rush his fences, and has learned a good deal of steadiness. He was jumping like a cat here and gaining ground at all his fences. When they had gone half-way he had distanced all his field except Ardeen and Tullygorey. Upper Rathduff ran moderately here.

Old Woolcraft came out with a renewed lease of life and ran away with the Birmingham Selling Steeplechase, winning in a canter from Craggie Rock and St. George II. Before the last race Woolcraft, Clashing Arms, and Oliver's Mount had given spread-eagling displays, but none of them was quite so impressive as that given by Mr. Adam Scott's Roi Rouge in the last race. He would have won the Delamere Handicap last week at Manchester with a more experienced jockey up, and, of course, odds had to be laid on him here. It is no exaggeration to say that he could have won by a hurdle here, for he had galloped them off their legs before they had gone a mile.

TO-MORROW AT NEWBURY.

We should see splendid racing to-morrow afternoon at Newbury. MUSIC HALL runs for the Open Steeplechase, and, as Owen Anthony has got the horse reasonably sound again and as the weights favour him, he should win. Mount Etna is engaged in this race, and I expect this horse to do well this winter. Mrs. Morton Jackson's ELGAR is engaged in the Novices' Steeplechase, and if he is sent he should win. In his absence DONEGAL might be best. EMPHATIC won easily at Nottingham, and on that form has a good chance in the Berks Handicap Hurdle.

GALTEE MORE.

BETTING FORECAST.

NEWBURY.

1.0 Race—6 to 4 agst. Henry B, 3 to 1 Tully, 4 to 1 Con Cregan, 9 to 2 The Saint IV., 6 to 1 Turning Point, 7 to 1 Miss Micawber, 8 to 1 each Roisel and St. Endas, 10 to 1 any other.

1.30 Race—9 to 4 agst. Clear Eye, 3 to 1 Espino, 4 to 1 Aliette, 5 to 1 Pilatus, 7 to 1 Edwin Answers, 8 to 1 Granham, 10 to 1 each Irish Cheddar and Skystar, 100 to 8 any other.

2.0 Race—5 to 2 agst. General Advance, 7 to 2 Royal Edgar, 4 to 1 Lukeston, 8 to 1 Donegal, 6 to 1 Priority, 7 to 1 each Top Light and French Leave, 8 to 1 each Elgar and Merry Miner, 100 to 7 any other.

2.30 Race—3 to 1 agst. Herne the Hunter, 7 to 2 Tullylost, 5 to 1 each Emphatic and Scapin, 6 to 1 Isle of Wight, 7 to 1 each Perahara and Sancroft, 8 to 1 each Beyrob and Caltrop, 10 to 1 Ballyrag, 100 to 8 Up Garryowen, 100 to 7 any other.

3.0 Race—11 to 4 agst. Ivymount, 3 to 1 White Park, 9 to 2 Golden Duke, 5 to 1 Harpenden, 6 to 1 Belsize, 7 to 1 each Mount Rivers and Dark David, 8 to 1 Holiday Hall, 10 to 1 each Flown Away and Paris Flight, 100 to 8 any other.

3.30 Race—6 to 4 agst. Music Hall, 3 to 1 Lukeston, 4 to 1 King Solitude, 5 to 1 each Mount Etna and Winnall, 7 to 1 Test Match, 8 to 1 Ammonal, 10 to 1 any other.

"FORM" HORSES.

NEWBURY.

1. 0—Henry B.	2.30—Emphatic.
1.30—Espino.	3. 0—Mount Rivers.
2. 0—General Advance.	3.30—Music Hall.

DOUBLE—Henry B (nap) and Espino.

A Student of Form.

SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Westminster Gazette:—To-day's best—Elgar. Double—Con Cregan and Elgar.

Daily News:—Double — General Advance and Emphatic.

Daily Express:—Double—Aliette and Music Hall. Safety bet—Music Hall.

Daily Mirror:—Double—Espino and Music Hall (nap).

Daily Graphic:—Double — Rousham and General Advance.

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

Entries close to-day for the Killester Hurdle Plate of 100 sovs., to be run at the Baldoyle New Year Meeting.

At Mullingar yesterday, Mr. E. W. Hope Johnstone scored a double event with Ischevaha and Rising Moon, both trained by Mr. M. Arnott, and ridden by D. Ward.

Ischevaha, who was awarded the Clonhugh Steeplechase at Mullingar on the disqualification of Fort Elizabeth, has now won eleven steeplechases this year.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

NEWBURY MEETING.

Open Steeplechase—Old Tay Bridge.
Cranborne Handicap Steeplechase—Gracious Gift.
Berks Handicap Hurdle—First Magic.
Yatesbury Selling Hurdle—Saxham Prince.
Newbury engagements, November 26th—Hat Rock.

KEMPTON PARK MEETING.

Sudbury Handicap Steeplechase—Royal Edgar.
Hampton Selling Hurdle—Golly Eyes.
St. Margaret's Selling Hurdle—Fancy Man.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Haydock Park Steeplechase—Rathway.
Hookham Maiden Steeplechase, Sandown Park—Red Rory.
All engagements—Gordon III. (dead), Tuscar Rock.
All published handicaps—Hackdaile.
All engagements in Mr. J. Kinney's name—Flock.

BILLIARDS.

NEWMAN MAKES BREAK OF 915.

Newman gave a wonderful display yesterday afternoon at Piccadilly, when Smith had had only one visit to the table, and that a fruitless one. Newman failed to add to his unfinished break, and gave a miss from which Smith did not score. Then Newman, rapidly gaining position at the top of the table, went straight to his points with a great unfinished 667, which included runs of 22 and 53 close cannons. Interval scores:—Newman (in play), 2,001; Smith, 1,062.

Smith made up some leeway at night by scoring 978 to Newman's 600. Newman took his unfinished break to 915, but after that did not once reach three figures, his best being 89. Smith was very consistent with breaks of 384, 92, 264 and 90. Closing scores:—Newman (in play), 2,601; Smith, 2,040.

STEVENSON v. REECE

At Leicester square, London, Reece regained the lead yesterday afternoon, scoring 673 to 662. Reece made breaks of 70, 132 and 196. Stevenson's best efforts being 139, 123 and 121. Interval scores:—Reece (in play), 2,000; Stevenson, 1,917.

Reece drew away at night, scoring 668 to 332. His best breaks were 63, 123, 111, 88, 151 and 64 unfinished. Stevenson's only notable effort was 98. Closing scores:—Reece (in play), 2,668; Stevenson, 2,249.

GOLF.

FOXROCK (Ladies' Branch).—December 9th—Stroke competition; draws 10.30 and 11. Annual meeting will be held that day in the Clubhouse at 3.15.

MULLINGAR.

BRISK RACING.

A WINNER DISQUALIFIED.

The season's racing at Mullingar wound up in most successful fashion yesterday, when the big company present were entertained to a capital afternoon's sport. Though only five events figured on the card, there were sixty-four runners saddled during the afternoon; a very satisfactory number, considering the shortage at many other meetings of late. That good horse Ischevaha added another success to his already long list of achievements, bringing his total for the season to eleven, though in this instance he was, perhaps, lucky to land the spoils. He was actually well beaten in the race by Fort Elizabeth, but the latter's jockey, on returning to the weight room, was found to be 8lbs. light, which, of course, meant automatic disqualification.

Mr. Hope Johnstone, the owner of Ischevaha, who is a staunch supporter of racing and hunting in the Westmeath district, scored another success later with Rising Moon, who, in company with Southern Girl, alone succeeded in negotiating the three miles and 280 yards of this difficult course. When two miles had been covered the pair had reduced the race to a match, and Rising Moon, always travelling the easier, pulled away half a mile from home, to score in a canter.

It is not often, nowadays, that a field of twenty runners appear for a hurdle race, but this was the number facing the barrier for the Newbrook Plate. Soot's forward running at the Curragh, where he finished second to Ganzey, caused him to be in equal request with Louvois Star in the wagering, but again he was relegated to second position, beaten by the much improved No Worry, who, at the same weights, reversed the Curragh placings. Louvois Star did not flatter at any stage, but Pearlmore, who was conceding weight to most of the others, ran uncommonly well, and finished third. Bawn-na-Glas, who had also run well in Ganzey's race at the Curragh, had an easy task in the December Plate, being followed past the post by the three-year-olds Ballyspinner and Santhome. For the Lough Ennel Plate, there were several candidates much fancied, but one of them, Johnny T., came to grief early in the fray, and others such as Golden Street and Noggin never flattered, the race falling an easy prey to How Nice. Details:—

1.15—NEWBROOK HURDLE HANDICAP RACE of 50 sovs. About 2 m.

Mr. C. Blackmore's ch. g. NO WORRY, by Bachelor's Hope—Bienvenida, a, 11-4 ... J. Delany 1
Mr. F. Barbour's SOOT, 5, 10-2 ... Mr. T. B. Cullinan 2
Mrs. D. Moloney's PEARLMORE, 5, 12-0 ... J. Moylan 3
Mr. A. McCann's Borora, 5, 12-1 ...M. Keogh 0
Mr. J. P. Taaffe's Garrymore, a, 12-0 Banahan 0
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Templelyon, 4, 11-4 C. Mallin 0
Mr. H. I. Ussher's Pallasgreen, 5, 11-7 P. Powell 0
Mr. W. Jackson's Paddy Milestone, 5, 11-5 Jos. Canty 0
Mr. G. Revelle's Dinis, 6, 10-13 ... P. Higgins 0
Mr. Jos. Walshe's V.V., 6, 11-0 ... J. McNeill 0
Mr. P. F. Adams's Queen of Gypsies, a, 10-7 T. Regan 0
Mr. J. Kiernan's Royal Dennis, 5, 10-12 J. McCarthy 0
Mr. P. Murray's Westown, 5, 10-9 Mr. Cleary 0
Col. Bayley's Louvois Star, 6, 10-6 T. Kelly, jun. 0
Mr. F. J. Hope's Prudent Lad, 5, 10-5 Hynes 0
Mr. T. Black's Gleniden, 6, 10-3 ...M. Connors 0
Mr. P. Glynn's Cappylass, a, 10-4 Mr. Dennis 0
Mr. M. Quinn's Kirkloisk, 6, 10-0 ... D. Ward 0
Mrs. M. J. Harty's Erin Remember, 6, 10-0 H. Harty 0
Mr. E. Foster's Friarstown Chieftain, a, 9-9 K. Lenihan 0

(Winner trained by Kirwan.)

Betting—4 to 1 each agst. Soot and Louvois Star, 6 to 1 each NO WORRY, Pearlmore and Kirkloisk, 8 to 1 Paddy Milestone, 100 to 8 each Dinis and Templelyon, 20 to 1 any other.

Gleniden made the running from Westown, Friarstown Chieftain, Royal Dennis, Erin Remember, Pallasgreen, No Worry, Queen of Gypsies, Soot and Louvois Star, with Garrymore and Paddy Milestone last, for half way, when Kirkloisk went on in advance of No Worry, Royal Dennis, Soot, Gleniden and Erin Remember. Half a mile from home No Worry took the lead, followed by Kirkloisk, Pearlmore, and Soot, and won by a length; six lengths divided second and third. Paddy Milestone was fourth, Louvois Star fifth, Cappy Lass sixth, Royal Dennis seventh, and Templelyon and Kirkloisk next.

1.45—DECEMBER HURDLE RACE of 50 sovs. A weight for age race. About 1½ m.

Mr. W. J. Parkinson's ch. g. BAWN-NA-GLAS, by William Rufus—Capalla, 4, 11-10 C. Mallin 1
Mr. T. Killian's BALLYSPINNER, 3, 10-0 Dardis 2
Mr. J. S. Barrett's SANTHOME, 3, 10-0 Farragher 3
Mr. W. Bourke's Kitty Lightfoot, 6, 11-0 Mr. Cleary 0
Mr. Douglas's Minikin's Pride, 5, 10-9 P. Higgins 0
Mr. T. Killian's Up at the Pole, 5, 11-0 M'Carthy 0
Mr. E. Hope's Alaska, 6, 10-9 W. A. Glennon 0
Mr. M. Laugan's Matty's Dream, a, 11-12 Mr. D. M'Cabe 0
Mr. A. Lowry's Amgoorie, 5, 11-0 ...T. Burns 0
Mr. T Dickson's National Sport, 4, 10-8 P. Grace 0
Mr. T. Coombs' Ardnamoher, 5, 10-7 K. Lenihan 0
Mr. Vandeleur's Dry Ginger, 4, 10-13 M'Neill 0
Mr. T. Black's Coolure, 4, 10-13 ...M. Connors 0
Mr. P. Rogers' Treble Applause, 4, 10-13 G. Brown 0
Mrs. R. Adams's Silver River, 3, 10-0 Regan, jun. 0
Mr. P. Burke's Noble Prince, 3, 10-0 Jos. Canty 0
Mr. A. Lowry's Bachelor's Doll, 3, 9-9 Costello 0
Mr. J. Parkinson's Cloonlough, 3, 10-0 J. Fitzgerald 0
Mrs. R. Walker's Lucky May, 3, 10-0 Kelly, jun 0

(Winner trained by Parkinson.)

Betting—Evens BAWN-NA-GLAS, 3 to 1 agst. Ballyspinner, 6 to 1 Noble Prince, 100 to 8 Santhome or any other.

Silver River led from Up at the Pole, Treble Applause, Lucky May, Santhome, Bawn-na-Glas, National Sport, Cloonlough, Amgoorie and Bachelor's Doll, for half-way, when Ballyspinner went on from Bawn-na-Glas, Silver River, Santhome, Treble Applause and Lucky May. Half a mile from home Bawn-na-Glas took command, followed by Ballyspinner, and won easily by ten lengths; fifteen lengths divided second and third. Kitty Lightfoot was fourth, Up at the Pole fifth, Coolure sixth and Amgoorie next.

2.15—CLONHUGH STEEPLECHASE of 100 sovs. Weight for age. 2 m.

Mr. E. W. Hope Johnstone's ch. g. ISCHEVAHA, by His Majesty—Pareaga, a, 12-5 D. Ward 1
Mr. H. Keane's SWEET HOME, 6, 10-3 M'Carthy 2
Mr. W. O'Driscoll's BARRY OGUE, a, 12-5 Horan 3
Mr. W. Power's Warfate, 5, 11-10 ...C. Mallin 0
Mr. T. M'Keever's Bellewstown, a, 11-12 Kelly, jun. 0
Mr. Vandeleur's Little Mick, a, 11-9 ...M'Neill 0
Mrs. Bartholomew's Malahide, a, 9-12 ...O'Shea 0
Mr. R. Downes' Knocknagreena, 5, 10-3 Hynes 0
Mr. T. Singleton's Thirty-Bob, 6, 10-4 Mr. Dennis 0
Mr. T. O'Rourke's Sleebawn, 5, 9-12 ...S. Duffy 0
Mr. H. M'Alinden's Fort Elizabeth, a, 12-5 J. Moylan, disq.

(Winner trained by Arnott.)

Betting—Evens ISCHEVAHA, 2 to 1 agst. Fort Elizabeth, 10 to 1 each Sweet Home and Thirty-Bob, 20 to 1 Barry Ogue or any other.

Ischevaha settled down in front of Sweet Home, Fort Elizabeth, Malahide, Little Mick, Barry Ogue, Bellewstown, Warfate, and Sleebawn for half-way, when Ischevaha made the running from Sweet Home, Fort Elizabeth, Barry Ogue, Bellewstown and Little Mick. In the straight Fort Elizabeth challenged Ischevaha, and won by ten lengths; a short head divided second and third. Barry Ogue was fourth, Warfate fifth, Bellewstown sixth and Little Mick next.

The Clerk of the Scales having reported that the rider of Fort Elizabeth was 8lbs. light on weighing in, the Stewards disqualified Fort Elizabeth and reprimanded Mr. Ussher for not being more careful in the supervision of the saddling of the horse.

2.45—LOUGH ENNEL STEEPLECHASE of 50 sovs. A handicap. About 2½ m.

Mr. R. Cleary's br. m. HOW NICE, by Don Juan—Woodbine, a, 9-12 ...J. M'Carthy 1
Mr. M. Ballesty's RATHDRIN, 5, 9-9 J. Meaney 2
Mrs. F. Brookes' NOGGIN, 6, 10-7 ...D. Ward 3
Mrs. Croft's Golden Street, a, 11-12 ...P. Powell 0
Mr. R. Ross's Ballymacrory, a, 11-10 J. Moylan 0
Mr. P. Cullinan's Silver Tray, 6, 11-0 Kelly, jun. 0
Mr. P. M'Gowan's Billy Pitt, a, 9-7 ...T. Sinnott 0
Mr. J. Rooney's Johnny T., a, 9-7 (carried 9-9) J. Moloney 0
Mrs. Large's Cherry Rod, a, 9-7 ...J. M'Neill 0

(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—3 to 1 each agst. Golden Street and Johnny T., 4 to 1 Noggin, 6 to 1 each HOW NICE and Rathdrin, 100 to 8 any other.

Johnny T. fell after going two furlongs, and Billy Pitt showed the way to Rathdrin, How Nice, Noggin, Silver Tray and Cherry Rod, with Golden Street next, until half a mile from home, when How Nice took the lead followed by Rathdrin, and won easily by fifteen lengths; a similar distance divided second and third. Cherry Rod was fourth.

3.15—WINTER STEEPLECHASE of 50 sovs. A handicap. About 3m. 280 yds.

Mr. E. W. Hope Johnstone's b. g. RISING MOON, by Rising Glass—New Moon, 6, 10-9 D. Ward 1
Mr. Gargan's SOUTHERN GIRL, a, 10-11 Kelly, jun. 2
Mrs. Croft's Yours Only, a, 10-4 ...P. Powell 0
Mr. Madden's Ballinacurra Boy, a, 10-3 J. H. Harty 0
Mr. J. Fitzsimons' Nurney, a, 10-0 Mr. F. Malone 0
Mr. Killian's (jun.) Coola II., a, 9-7 ...M'Carthy 0
Mr. J. Kiernan's Lugmore, a, 9-7 ...Lynn 0
Mr. H. Ryan's Misfire, a, 9-12 ...J. Moylan 0

(Winner trained by Arnott.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. RISING MOON, 4 to 1 Southern Girl, 6 to 1 Nurney, 100 to 8 Ballinacurra Boy or any other.

Southern Girl cut out the work from Misfire, Lugmore, Nurney, Rising Moon, Ballinacurra Boy, Yours' Only and Coola II., for half-way, when Southern Girl was in advance of Rising Moon, Ballinacurra Boy, Misfire, Lugmore and Yours Only. At the third last fence Ballinacurra Boy and Yours Only refused, and Lugmore fell, and Rising Moon, taking command half a mile from home, won easily by twenty lengths. Only two finished.

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BIRMINGHAM RESULTS.

1.0—SELLING 3-YEAR-OLD HURDLE RACE of 150 sovs, of which the second receives 5 sovs. 1½ m.

Mr. E. Humphrey's ch. c. OLIVEBURY, by Oliver Goldsmith—Wynbury, 10-9 A. Smyth 1
Mr. M. Cummins' LADY JAQUENETTA, 10-9 W. Scott 2
Mr. J. Mackley's CAPRA, 10-9 ...E. Doyle 3

Also ran—Magic King (W. Lees), Ruby K. (T. Moreau), Lighted Candle (F. Rees), John Wise (Irvine), Long Hall (J. Goswell), Startled (W. Gurne), Frabie (Hackford), Bridges (J. Ward), Rubber (Mr. D O'Brien). Off 1.0. (Winner trained by Smyth.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. OLIVEBURY, 3 to 1 Lighted Candle, 5 to 1 Lady Jaquenetta, 8 to 1 Capra, 10 to 1 any other.

Won by a length; a length and a half. Bridges fell.

The winner was bought in for 220 gns.

1.30—BIRMINGHAM STEEPLECHASE HANDICAP of 200 sovs. 2 m.

Mr. Settle's b. g. WOOLCRAFT, by Jaeger—Breezy, a, 10-8 ...T. Moreau 1
Mr. T. Hartigan's CRAGGIE ROCK, a, 11-13 L. Rees 2
Mr. Shutt's ST. GEORGE II., a, 11-13 J. Hogan, jun. 3

Also ran—Jimmy (F. Sargeant), Bachelor's Lady (Whitfield), Prickley (W. Parvin), Bugler (Truslove), Loppy II. (G. Goswell), Hermocles (O. Donnelly), Gramophone (F. Mason), Wood Ant (W. Scott). Off 1.31. (Winner trained by Bullock.)

Betting—5 to 1 each agst. Bachelor's Lady and Jimmy, 5 to 1 Craggie Rock, 6 to 1 each WOOLCRAFT and St. George II., 7 to 1 Prickly, 100 to 8 any other.

Won by four lengths; six lengths. Prickley pulled up.

The winner was sold to Mr. Wiggins for 180 gns.

2.0—TAMWORTH HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 300 sovs. Second 20 sovs., third 10 sovs. 2 m.

Col. W. Anthony's br. g. CLASHING ARMS, by Sir Marten—Glen Inch, 9, 12-1 J. Anthony 1
Sir K. Fraser's ARDEEN, 7, 11-0 ...G. Goswell 2
Mr. Donnelly's TULLYGOREY, 10, 11-6 J. Hogan, jun. 3

Also ran—Good Points (Truslove), Upper Rathduff (J. Goswell), Perforce (Davies). Off 2.1. (Winner trained by Hastings.)

Betting—5 to 2 on CLASHING ARMS, 7 to 1 agst. Ardeen and Tullygorey, 100 to 8 any other.

Won by three-quarters of a length; a bad third.

2.30—KING'S NORTON STEEPLECHASE (Handicap) of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. 3 m.

Mr. P. Layton's b. g. GARDENRATH, by Pam—Punnett, a, 10-1 ...E. Doyle 1
Mr. D. Faber's REDBRAE, a, 12-0 ...C. Jacklin *
Capt. Grant's CATAMARAN, a, 11-5 ...F. Brookes *

* Dead heat for second place.

Also ran—Auchincrossie (A. Stubbs), Don (J. Anthony), Upton Lad (A. Wall), Gracedieu (W. Lees), Jolly Glad (R. Lyall).

Off at 2.30. Winner trained by E. Doyle.

Betting—Evens GARDENRATH, 7 to 2 agst. Redbrae, 9 to 2 each Don and Catamaran, 10 to 1 any other.

Won by a head.

3.0—BURTON HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 150 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. 2 m. 5 f.

Mr. D. Faber's OLIVER'S MOUNT, 5, 11-12 C. Jacklin 1
Mr. M. Dollar's LADY CHARITY, a, 10-5 F. Brookes 2
Miss A. Tyler's TUSCAN, 6, 10-13 ...E. Barker 3

Also ran—Ruy Blas (Foster), Chillington (R. Phillip), Tower Hill (A. Smyth), Khoosh (H. East), Bold Chap (Sheridan, junior), St. Madoc (J. Anthony), Golden Chestnut (S. Jones), Waterford Glass II. (Sheddon), Manister Field (Mr. P. Dennis), Manister's Pride (Gurney), Marston Moor (Burford), Rathluck (Truslove), Duffy (Owner), Pabulum (T. Moreau), Trusty (Stott), Babu (F. Rees), L.I. (A. Smith), Bilsthorpe (G. Goswell), Stream (Mr. D. Thomas).

Off at 3.0. Winner trained by Hatt.

Betting—4 to 1 agst. St. Madoc, 5 to 1 each Waterford Glass II. and Lady Charity, 6 to 1 Babu, 7 to 1 OLIVER'S MOUNT, 10 to 1 each Tower Hill, Tuscan, Pabulum, and Trusty, 100 to 8 Chillington, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by three lengths; a length and a half.

3.30—BROMFORD HURDLE RACE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. 2 m.

Mr. A. Scott's ROI ROUGE, a, 12-7 ...J. Carey 1
Mr. A. Aston's GRAND DUKE II., 5, 12-7 E. Doyle 2
Sir R. Jardine's FAMILIARITY, 4, 11-9... Brace 3

Also ran—Jargoon (J. Anthony), Magic Rod (Owner), John W. (Owner), Redpost (W. Evans), Lady Picton II. (R. Phillip), Ferdia (disqualified) (T. Moreau).

Off at 3.30. Winner trained by Owner.

Betting—6 to 4 on ROI ROUGE, 6 to 1 each agst. Jargoon and Grand Duke II., 7 to 1 Ferdia, 100 to 7 any other.

Won by fifteen lengths; three lengths.

Ferdia finished second, but was disqualified for missing the last hurdle.

LADIES' HOCKEY.

NOTES ON SATURDAY'S MATCHES.

MISS WALLIS'S NINE GOALS.

The result of the Old College and Monkstown match (3-3) created surprise in Leinster hockey circles, as up to this Old College had won all their matches, while Monkstown had been beaten by Maids of the Mountain, Muckross and Optimists. Monkstown are still without Miss Taylor (half-back), whose health will not yet permit of her playing. It was very gratifying to see two umpires turning up to referee this League fixture. Usually teams are lucky if they can get one umpire. An Umpires' Association would greatly facilitate matters, and one might rest assured that the committee would do everything possible to assist those qualified to referee.

Next Saturday the first round of the Senior Cup will be played—Maids of the Mountain v. Old College A, Muckross v. Antiquity, and Alexandra v. University College. It is a pity that Maids and Old College (last year's finalists) should meet so early in the competition, as it will rob some of the later matches of an amount of interest. Nevertheless, the semi-finals and final should provide very keen matches.

At Milltown old College were unlucky in only drawing with Monkstown (3-3), as they had altogether the best of the first half, and should have scored oftener. However, on resuming play was evener, and Monkstown were at times very dangerous. For Old College Miss Hall (full-back) was more reliable than Miss O'Loughlin, her stopping and clearing being very useful. Miss Dilworth (centre half) showed up splendidly in attack and defence, while Miss Cooper was always steady. Mrs. Pratt (centre forward) was not as brilliant as usual in the first half, but in the second she seemed to find her form, and her goal was the result of a fine individual run from half-way. Miss Newlan (right-inner) showed great enterprise, and was responsible for two of the Old College goals.

In Miss T. Dilworth Old College have a very speedy and clever left wing, and she was distinctly unlucky not to score on one occasion, having run the length of the field with the ball, only to be tackled in the circle. Miss Exshaw, in goal for Monkstown, saved her side on several occasions, and the fulls, Miss Shannon and Mrs. Pickeman, were very sound. Mrs. Mainguy was the pick of the halves, while in the second period Miss White showed good form. Of the forwards, Misses Gick (centre forward) and Daly (left-inner) were best. Apart from scoring herself, Miss Gick was mainly responsible for Miss Daly's first goal. Miss Daly showed fine speed, and her shooting was very strong.

At L.C.C., Rathmines, Muckross scored a decisive win over Victoria by 6 goals to nil. It was by no means a runaway victory, as Victoria put up a good fight and were prevented from scoring by the sound Muckross defence. For Muckross, Miss Magee (goal) saved several times by coming out to the edge of the circle to meet the opposing forwards. Miss M. M'Gloughlin (left half) was particularly brilliant, and she was responsible for the opening goal, which was the result of a very fast shot, giving the opposing goal-keeper no chance to save. Miss E. M'Gloughlin (centre half) and Miss O'Toole (right half) were sound. All the forwards played a fine game, Miss O'Gorman (right wing) and Miss M. Kelly (right-inner) being outstanding. Miss O'Gorman shot two goals, which were really unique, being hit from the actual goal line into the corner of the net; and, in addition to these, she was mainly responsible for one of Miss M. Kelly's goals. Miss M. Kelly scored a second goal, which was the result of an individual effort, and Miss A. Kelly added the other goal. The losers all played a sporting game, their forwards being particularly keen.

At Terenure Maids of the Mountain achieved an easy victory over University College by 12 goals to nil. Maids, always a formidable team, were strengthened by the re-appearance of Miss H. Wallis, who scored 9 goals in succession. Miss Steen (2) and Miss M'Cann were responsible for the remaining scores. National were unlucky not to score in the first half, as they were continually in their opponents' circle. The forwards played well, Misses S. Starkey (centre forward) and M. O'Mara (left-inner) being best. Despite the result, Miss M. Buckley (goal) played very well, indeed.

At Ailesbury road Antiquity had the better of the first half, leading at the interval by 3-1. On resuming Antiquity scored two more goals, but after that Alexandra took the lead, and got 4 goals—Miss E Cullen, Miss V. Gentleman (2), Miss B. Fry. For Alexandra, Miss E. Cullen was particularly good, never missing a chance, while her two goals were the outcome of fine shots. To Miss Kane, in goal for Antiquity, is due the fact that Alexandra did not win by a far larger margin, as during the last ten minutes she saved several likely goals. Miss Middleton was the best of a very good forward line, her two goals being splendid shots. Misses B. Cairns (2) and B. Birmingham (1) scored the other goals.

Other results were:—Senior League—University College 8, Dublin University 1; Old College III. 1, St. Kevin's 1. Middle League—Trefoil 2, Pembroke Wanderers 0; Muckross II. 3, Victoria II. 1; Maids of the Mountain II. 4, National Bank 4; Masonic 4, Pembroke Wanderers 0. Junior League—Muckross III. 2, Dublin University III. 1; Optimists III. 1, University College II. nil; Trefoil III. 5, Nutgrove nil.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

Avoca School v. Dublin University. Blackrock, 3 o'clock.
Railway Union "A" v. Kingstown G.S. "A." Park avenue, 3.15.
Three Rock Rovers "A" v. Monkstown "A." Royal terrace, 2.45.

Avoca School.—C. Lea; J. O. B. Mitchell, G. H. Alleyne; H. B. Darling, L. S. Phillips (capt.), D. J. Coulson; R. F. Browne, H. Sarratt, R. S. Darling, A. Johnston, L. C. Wilson.

Kingstown G.S. "A."—C. W. Gibson; J. C. Rutherford, G. Browne; D. Anslin, A. F. Cook, A. C. L'Estrange; R. Jones, R. Martin, G. Titterington, V. E. Jenkin, C. W. Cook.

Three Rock Rovers "A."—G. K. Pilkington; G. F. Story, C. Blair White; E. Brown, S. K. Maconchy, W. B. Jolley; A. Tyndall, H. Wadsworth, H. T. Bulger, H. W. Strong, F. Lavery.

Railway "A"—W. Leopold; J. Gilleran, F. Delaney; J. Peatt, W. Chiddick, J. Corcoran; F. G. Savon, C. Sally, P. Gillespie, J. Moore.

CROSS-COUNTRY RUNNING.

CITY AND SUBURBAN HARRIERS.

Run this evening from Croydon Park House, Fairview. All members meet at Fairview avenue, Fairview, at 8 o'clock sharp. Visitors invited.

NEWBURY.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME AND SELECTIONS.

As is usual at the opening of the National Hunt season, after two days in the Midlands the remaining four days are allotted to the South. An excellent programme is provided for Newbury to-day, in which the Berkshire Handicap Hurdle Race should prove really interesting. Of a good entry I like best Sancroft and Perahara, and as Mr. Collins's four-year-old has much improved and is said to be fit and well fancied he must be my choice. Selections:—

Findon Steeplechase—**Henry B.**
Juvenile Hurdle—**Aliette.**
Novices' Steeplechase—**Lukeston.**
Berkshire Handicap—**Perahara.**
Hants Hurdle—**Counter Proposition.**
Open Steeplechase—**Bright's Boy.**

1.0—FINDON HANDICAP S'CHASE of 200 sovs. Second 5 sovs. 2 m. 50 yds.

		Age	st.	lb.
HENRY B. (Mr. B. Fitch)	Poole	a	12	5
THE SAINT IV. (Mr. B. Warner)	Bletsoe	a	11	7
MASK MAN (Mr. G. Butchers)	Butchers	a	11	7
TURNING POINT (Maj. Methven)	Powell	a	10	13
REDSHANK (Mr. T. Hulme)	Hulme	5	10	7
(The above have arrived.)				
THE HEIR (Capt. Wardell)	D. Harrison	a	12	7
ST. ENDAS (Miss Black)	Stanley	a	12	2
GOLDEN VICTORY (Mr. W. Parrish)	Shedden	a	11	12
BACKDALE (Mrs. H. Stanley)	Hastings	5	11	12
FIM (Mr. J. Woods)	Stanley	a	11	11
ROUSHAM (Mr. D. Dennis)	Shedden	a	11	9
NITRIC (Mr. A. Hood)	Sanlay	a	11	6
CRAGGIE ROCK (Mr. T. Hartigan)	Young	a	11	3
MISS MICAWBER (Mrs. G. Wallis)	Newey	a	11	3
TULLY WOODLAND (Mr. H. Liddell)	Woodland	a	10	13
ROISEL (Miss B. Powney)	Kemp	a	10	10
CON CREGAN (Mr. H. Brown)	H. Brown	a	10	7
KROONGARY (Mr. H. W. Brown)	W. Payne	5	10	6
FINE YARN (Mrs. C. Stevens)	Stevens	4	10	6

1.30—JUVENILE HURDLE RACE (S.), £200. Second £5. 1½ m.

		st.	lb.
TOILING TESSIE (Mr. H. Boam)	East	10	5
ANSWERS (Mr. G. Beed)	R. Payne	10	5
PILATUS (Mr. H. Hirst)	F. Hartigan	10	5
ALIETTE (Mr. T. Edge)	Poole	10	0
SKYSTAR (Mr. R. Huggett)	Anthony	10	0
ORMADA (Mr. G. Milne)	Hogan	10	0
PORPHYRION (Mr. W. Sadler)	Butchers	10	0
TRANGA (Mr. H. Savill)	Savill	10	0
TEMPTATION (Mr. J. Torr)	Private	10	0
(The above have arrived.)			
GRANHAM (Mr. G. Brown)	Private	10	5
LADY JAQUENETTA (Mr. H. Cummins)	Newey	10	5
PYRAMIDON (Lord Westmorland)	Westmorland	10	5
IRISH ANGEL (Capt. Wheeler)	Kirk	10	5
OLIVEBURY (Mr. E. Humphreys)	Smyth	10	5
IRISH CHEDDAR (Mrs. Baker)	Martin	10	0
ORMLINE (Mr. C. Barlow)	Riste	10	0
ESPINO (Mr. G. Bennett)	Bennett	10	0
SPEAR O' WAR (Mr. G. Bennett)	Bennett	10	0
SUSCEPTIBLE (Mr. Benson)	E. Piggott	10	0
FELLE NOIRE (Mr. Benson)	E. Piggott	10	0
FOGGIA (Mr. A. Routall, jun.)	Hackett	10	0
THORNDALE (Mr. H. Bradford)	Bradford	10	0
SURE GAIN (Mr. H. Cottrill)	Cottrill	10	0
CLEAR EYE (Col. FitzGerald)	J. M. Bell	10	0
GREEN NUT (Mr. A. Frogley)	Pratt	10	0
GOODNESS (Mr. R. Jeffrey)	Earl	10	0
EDWIN (Mr. J. de Rothschild)	Pratt	10	0
HAT ROCK (Mr. F. Sharp)	Saxby	10	0
CRAIGWATCH (Mr. Reid Walker)	C. Doyle	10	0
ONE GUINEA (Lord W. de Broke)	Turner	10	0

2.0—NOVICES' S'CHASE, £450. Second £50 and third £25. 2 m. 50 yds.

		Age	st.	lb.
LUKESTON (Mr. E. Tattersall)	Poole	a	12	12
PRIORITY (Mr. D. Clarke)	Gore	a	12	0
MERRY MINER (Mr. K. Miles)	Hogan	a	11	9
TOP LIGHT (Col. Part)	Hastings	6	10	13
GUIDANCE (Mr. O. Rayner)	East	5	10	10
(The above have arrived.)				
DONEGAL (Mr. S. Howard)	Newey	a	12	0
LADY BELGIAN (Mrs. Fenwick)	Private	5	11	11
WORD OF HONOUR (Lt.-Col. Wayland)	Wayland	5	11	11
ROYAL EDGAR (Mr. H. Hirst)	F. Hartigan	6	11	9
SANTAREL (Mr. H. Liddell)	Woodland	6	11	1
THE TEMPLE II. (Mr. V. Bosanquet)	Private	a	10	13
FRENCH LEAVE (Col. Croft)	A. Law	5	10	10
BLANK CARTRIDGE (Captain Speed)	Jackson	5	10	10
TYROLEAN (Mr. S. Adams)	Newey	5	10	10
EDUCATED EVANS (Mr. F. Brown)	F. Brown	5	10	10
ELGAR (Mrs. V. Jackson)	Private	5	10	10
ANCRUM (Mr. C. Methven)	Powell	5	10	10
JACK HORNER (Mr. K. MacKay)	MacKay	4	10	3
ARDOON'S PRIDE (Mr. E. Stanley)	Hastings	4	10	2
FINE YARN (Mrs. C. Stevens)	Stevens	4	10	2
JEANSGEE (Mr. W. Rimell)	Newey	4	10	2
HORSE MARINE (Mr. H. Weld)	Private	4	10	2
MARCH ON (Mr. G. Barclay)	Barclay	4	10	2
GENERAL ADVANCE (Maj. Huntington)	Private	4	10	2

2.30—BERKS HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 250 sovs., of which the second receives 35 sovs. and third 10 sovs. 2 m.

		Age	st.	lb.
UP GARRYOWEN (Mr. H. Kershaw)	Anthony	4	12	2
SANTAVON (Capt. Ker)	Batho	a	11	9
ROCK ARROW (Sir F. Price)	Gilbert	5	11	6
TULLYLOST (Mrs. J. Putnam)	Poole	5	11	6
BATTLE CRUISER (Mr. R. Mealing)	Butchers	4	10	11
BALLYRAG (Mr. F. Baker)	East	5	10	11
(The above have arrived.)				
FLAMING SWORD (Lady Watts)	Poole	6	12	7
SOUTHEND (Mr. Filmer Sankey)	H. Brown	a	12	5
SANCROFT (Mr. J. Thomson)	F. Brown	5	12	2
ZENON (Capt. Thompson)	Thompson	a	11	12
BARRACKTON LAD (Mr. J. O'Callaghan)	Private	5	11	12
SCAPIN (Mr. A. Boutall)	Earl	5	11	0
HERNE THE HUNTER (Mr. V. Misa)	Escott	5	11	8
BEYROB (Mr. H. Escott)	Escott	a	11	6
PERAHARA (Mr. H. Collins)	Bennett	4	11	5
DETRITUS (Mrs. Baker)	Martin	4	11	5
MILE END (Sir F. Price)	Gilbert	a	11	4
CHARLIE WISE (Mr. A. Saunders)	Clement	a	11	4
WOOLLEY BRIDGE (Mr. H. Rhodes)	Coldbeck	5	11	4
EMPHATIC (Mrs. H. McKenna)	McKenna	5	11	3
ISLE OF WIGHT (Major Eves)	W. Payne	5	11	3
JOSEPH THE FIRST (Mr. C. Williams)	Private	a	11	1
CALTROP (Duchess of Westminster)	McDougal	a	10	12
CANOPUS (Mrs. Baker)	Martin	5	10	12
KHOOSH (Capt. Barnett)	Barnett	5	10	8
LOW TIDE (Mr. R. Bownass)	Coulthwaite	6	10	8
ANIMATED (Sir E. Wills)	De Winton	4	10	4
FREDDIE B. (Mr. H. Hibberd)	Woodman	a	10	4
SIGNET (Mr. T. Wilmot)	Poole	5	10	2

3.0—HANTS HURDLE RACE, £150. Second £20, third £10. 2 m.

		Age	st.	lb.
WHITE PARK (Lady Edgar)	Whitaker	5	12	0
GOLDEN DUKE (Mr. T. Richardson)	A. Doyle	a	12	0
FOUNDATION (Mr. H. Boam)	East	5	11	10
HOLIDAY HALL (Maj. Lyons)	Hastings	5	11	10
FLOWN AWAY (Lt.-Col. Dansey)	Faulkner	4	11	5
PARIS FLIGHT (Mr. Hamilton)	Cobb	4	11	5
IVYMOUNT (Sir M. McAlpine)	Cobb	4	11	5
HOLIHONIC (Capt. Leake)	Private	4	11	5
MOUNT RIVERS (Maj. Furlong)	Private	4	11	5
PILATUS (Mr. H. Hirst)	F. Hartigan	3	10	4
(The above have arrived.)				
CORAZON (Major Barrett)	Barrett	6	11	10
SUN CHARMER (Sir D. Broughton)	Farquharson	5	11	10
LORD OFFALY (Mr. E. Brock)	G. Bennett	5	11	10
CYCLAX (Mr. Barclay Walker)	J. Rhodes	5	11	10
KILWINNING (Mrs. H. M'Kenna)	M'Kenna	4	11	10
HARPENDEN (Mr. S. Whitburn)	Spittle	5	10	10
CLOCHNABEN (Mr. W. Murray)	Rooney	6	11	10
RIGHT LINE (Mr. G. Shaw)	G. Bennett	a	11	10
INVISIBLE (Miss Goodman)	Holme	5	11	10
DARK DAVID (Mr. C. Hennessey)	J. T. Dodd	4	11	9
AZIMUTH (Mr. G. Johnston)	Hogg	4	11	9
THE BIG THREE (Mr. C. Lucas)	Earl	4	11	9
SECOND CROP (Mr. H. Dennis)	D. Harrison	4	11	5
SPINEL (Mr. C. Clarke)	Private	4	11	5
BRAMSHAW (Lord Harewood)	Private	4	11	5
WIL'S NECK (Mr. Allfrey)	Farquharson	4	11	5
TIBET (Mr. Hoboken)	Bishop	4	11	5
GENERAL POST (Mr. H. Greville)	Smyth	4	11	5
ROYAL SILVER (Mr. H. Mather)	Larkin	4	11	5
KINSMAN (Mr. F. Weeden)	Larkin	4	11	5
MIRCYL (Lt.-Col. Spencer)	Private	4	11	5
COUNTER PROPOSITION (Mrs. Stevens)	Stevens	3	10	7
IRISH CHEDDAR (Mrs. Baker)	Martin	3	10	4
ARGENTINE (Mr. E. Bates)	Wootton	3	10	4
HARDWICK (Mr. A. Prince)	Hedges	3	10	4
IL-KWANG (Mr. R. Wadsley)	D. Waugh	3	10	4
BUCKLE (Mr. J. Sanders)	M'Kie	3	10	0
SWAN MATCH (Mr. Sharpies)	Condell	3	10	0
MUSSOLINI (Mr. J. Legge)	Bletsoe	3	10	0
SPIGOT LODGE (Lord Queenborough)	Gore	3	10	0
ROCKING HORSE (Sir E. Wills)	De Winton	3	10	0
NORTH VIEW (Mr. H. Bradford)	Bradford	3	10	0
GAY BLOOM (Mr. T. Chalcraft)	Rayner	3	10	0
PRIMING PAN (Mr. E. Clark)	Hogg	3	10	0

3.30—OPEN STEEPLECHASE, £200. Second £25, third £10. 3 m.

		Age	st.	lb.
MUSIC HALL (Mr. H. Kershaw)	Anthony	a	11	7
KING SOLITUDE (Mr. Ismay)	Hastings	6	10	7
LUKESTON (Mr. E. Tattersall)	Poole	a	10	7
(The above have arrived.)				
CHIN CHIN (Sir F. Price)	Gilbert	a	11	12
WINNALL (Mr. H. Liddell)	Woodland	a	11	7
GOOD POINTS (Mr. W. Sankey)	G. Bennett	a	11	0
HAIRPIN II. (Mr. G. Sanday)	Sanday	a	11	0
SIR HUON (Lord Woolavington)	Gore	a	11	0
CONDOR (Captain Stanyforth)	R. Payne	a	11	0
VOCALION (Mr. W. Baker)	F. Lyall	5	10	7
TEST MATCH (Mr. H. Mosenthal)	Martin	6	10	7
ICEMORE (Mrs. J. Scott)	J. Scott	a	10	7
SLOVENLY SAINT (Captain Speed)	Jackson	a	10	7
DUDLEY (Lord Londesborough)	H. Brown	a	10	7
AMMONAL (Mr. J. Wood)	Stanley	a	10	7
MULLAGHMAST (Mr. S. Price)	Hedges	a	10	7
BRIGHT'S BOY (Lady Edgar)	Whitaker	5	10	1
SANDALWOOD (Mr. A. Kinahan)	Private	5	10	0

TABLE TENNIS.

There were eighty entries for the Open Tournament at Messrs. Hely's, Ltd., Dame street, which commenced on Monday. Preliminary Round—A. B. McWeeney beat Miss N. Stoker—21-11, 21-14; D. T. McWeeney beat C. F. Allen—21-8, 21-9; Miss J. Stoker beat Miss M. Shannon—21-9, 21-9; G. A. Sullivan beat R. T. Cunningham—21-11, 21-13; R. B. Irvine beat W. G. Wakely—21-10, 21-8; J. McB. Stephen beat Miss Jones—21-8, 21-12; Miss Pigot beat A. F. Holmes—21-18, 21-14.

To-day's Programme—L. A. W. Orr v. T. Reid; A. Johnston v. Mrs. Waugh; A. Barry v. Miss E. Stephenson; R. Warren v. T. Myles; J. W. Gallagher v. R. Morian; E. Barlow v. J. G. Miller; A. F. Swaine v. M. McMeehan; D. McMeehan v. A. M. Poole; J. Barry v. D. O'Neill; F. D. McWeeney v. H. P. McDonald.

HUNTING.

HUNTING APPOINTMENTS.

THE WARD UNION.

November.	Meet.	Hour.
To-day	Dunshaughlin	1.30
Saturday, 29th	Nine-mile Stone	1.30
THE KILDARE.		
Thursday, 27th	Colbinstown Station	11. 0
Saturday, 29th	Enfield	11. 0
THE MEATH.		
Thursday, 27th	Moynalty	11. 0
Friday, 28th	Dunboyne	11. 0

HUNTING FIXTURES.

KILDARE HOUNDS.

DECEMBER.—Tuesday, 2nd, Brannockstown; Thursday, 4th, Kilkea North Gate; Saturday, 6th, Betaghstown Cross Roads; Tuesday, 9th, Rathcoole; Thursday, 11th, Dunlavin; Saturday, 13th, Courtown Gate; Tuesday, 16th, Endestown Chapel; Thursday, 18th, Moone; Saturday, 20th, Straffan Bridge; Tuesday, 23rd, Blackchurch; Friday, 26th, Kildangan; Saturday, 27th, Celbridge. At 11 o'clock.

HILLSIDE HARRIERS.

Meet at Dundrum to-day at 2 o'clock.

QUEEN'S COUNTY HUNT.

DECEMBER.—Tuesday, 2nd, Ballybrophy Railway Bridge; Saturday, 6th, Sheffield Cross Roads; Tuesday, 9th, Fermoyle Cross Roads; Saturday, 13th, Timogue Cross Roads. At 11 o'clock.

COUNTY DOWN STAGHOUNDS.

DECEMBER.—Tuesday, 2nd, Quinney's Rocks (12.45), Dromore; Thursday, 4th, Glasswater Bridge (12.30), Crossgar; Saturday, 6th, Fergusons Cross Roads (12.0), Saintfield; Tuesday, 9th, Poland's Bridge (12.45), Banbridge; Thursday, 11th, Drumsroad (12.30), Ballynahinch; Saturday, 13th, Baillies' Mills (12.30), Ballynahinch; Tuesday, 16th, Garvaghey School (12.45), Dromore; Thursday, 18th, Bucks Head (12.30), Crossgar; Saturday, 20th, Dorans Rocks (12.0), Saintfield; Tuesday, 23rd, The Diamond (12.45), Dromore; Wednesday, 24th, Old Race Course (12.30), Downpatrick; Friday, 26th, Carr School (12.30), Ballynahinch Road; Saturday, 27th, The Kennels (12.30), Ballynahinch; Tuesday, 30th, Tullyorior School (12.45), Banbridge.

CARLOW HOUNDS.

Thursday, November 27th, at Mageney Bridge (bye day), at 11 o'clock.

DUHALLOW HOUNDS.—November—Thursday, 27th, Altamira; Saturday, 29th, Mallow (Railway Station). December—Monday, 1st, Gortroche; Tuesday, 2nd, Ballyheen Piers; Thursday, 4th, Rossmills; Saturday, 6th, Ballyhoura Forge. 10.45 a.m.

THE BALLYMACAD HOUNDS.—November—Friday, 28th, Archerstown. December—Tuesday, 2nd, Ballymacad; Friday, 5th, Newcastle. 11 o'clock.

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RUGBY.

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY V. CAMBRIDGE.

The following will represent Dublin University v. Cambridge University at Cambridge this afternoon: E. W. Bingham; J. K. S. Thompson, R. J. Cussen, T. J. Millin, J. L. Steele; M. Sugden, C. E. Nunns; O. P. Chance, J. D. Clinch, R. Y. Crichton, R. D. Flood, A. H. Pike, I. M. Stuart, J. H. Wallace, J. F. Wilde.

SCHOOLS' NORTH SIDE TRIAL.

This match will take place to-day at 2.45 p.m. at Donnybrook. Probables play in whites and Possibles play in school colours.

Teams:—

Probables—F. McDonald (Mountjoy); S. Hamilton (Morgan's), E. Lightfoot (Castleknock), B. Aylward (Mountjoy), J. Lambert (Mountjoy); T. O'Reilly (Castleknock), K. Keogh (Castleknock); H. Tighe, C. Carroll, K. M'Auley (Belvedere), Benn (Mountjoy), G. French (Castleknock), N. McGovern (King's Hospital), A. Nowlan, T. Dunne (Mountjoy).

Possibles—G. Mulcahy (Belvedere); J. Arigho (Castleknock), A. Knox (King's Hospital), D. O'Connor (Belvedere), M. Roche (Belvedere); E. Lindsay (King's Hospital), R. Butler (Mountjoy); J. Smyth, M. Maguire (Castleknock), B. Kerrison, W. Nash (Mountjoy), C. Digges (Morgan's), E. Crosby, J. McGrath (Belvedere), J. McDermott (King's Hospital).

Subs.—Centre, R. Jones (Morgan's); halves, T. Flood (Belvedere), J. Taylor (King's Hospital); forwards, J. Brophy (Castleknock), W. Scott (Belvedere).

Substitutes are requested to attend.

Referee—Mr. W. E. Crawford.

TEAMS FOR TO-DAY.

Royal College of Surgeons—H. M. Westropp; J. M. O'Grady, P. McMahon, R. S. Dorgan, F. H. Pearse; P. F. Murray, D. Plunkett; M. R. Callaghan, C. Warren, L. Van Keena, A. E. Flannery, S. Goldfoot, N. McGuiness, E. S. Freeman, T. P. Flannery.

Clontarf Schoolboys—S. Richardson; D. O'Dwyer, G. Wheeler, A. Sherlock, J. Graham; A. N. Other, Z. Gorevan; B. Maguire, J. McCarron, R. M. Kilmurry, T. Walshe, W. Poole, V. Glass, G. Nixon, D. Greer.

Lansdowne III.—F. O'Rourke; R. T. Falkiner, M. P. Buddle, G. Whiteside, G. E. Guise-Brown; H. Y. Robinson, R. Lyburn; C. E. Eccles, R. Frith, E. Malone, A. G. Murray, A. Higgins, J. Southerland, Z. Poulter, J. Studdert.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

Cambridge v. Dublin University. Cambridge.
Leinster Schools, North Side, Trial. Donnybrook, 2.45.
College of Surgeons v. Bective Rangers II. Kimmage road, 3.30.
Dublin University III. v. Lansdowne III. College Park.
Bective Rangers III. v. Wanderers III. Donnybrook.
Wanderers III. "A" v. Mountjoy School. Lansdowne road.
Blackrock College (S.C.T.) v. St. Andrew's College (S.C.T.). Williamstown.
Wesley College (S.C.T.) v. Mountjoy School (S.C.T.). Bloomfield.
St. Andrew's College (J.C.T.) v. Blackrock College (J.C.T.). Donnybrook.
St. Andrew's College II v. Wesley College II. Donnybrook.
Mountjoy School (J.C.T.) v. Wesley College (J.C.T.). Malahide road.
Presentation College, Glasthule, v. Belvedere College (J.C.T.). Glasthule.
Presentation College, Bray, v. Belvedere College (under 11). Bray.
St. Stephen's Green School v. High School II.
C.U.S. (S.C.T.) v. Clontarf Schoolboys. Bath avenue.
Shamrocks v. Portrane.—This fixture has been postponed to Wednesday, 3rd prox.

PORTORA R.S. v. DUNGANNON R.S.—At Dungannon on Saturday Portora R.S. defeated Dungannon R.S. by 2 goals and 1 try to nil. R. R. L. Birmingham scored 2 tries and kicked 2 goals, and K. P. Whaley scored 1 try.

MASONIC (S.C.T.) v. CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY SCHOOL (S.C.T.)—This match, played at Clonskeagh, resulted in a draw of 2 tries each.

At Portora, the Portora R.S. 2nd XV. defeated Dungannon R.S. 2nd XV. by 1 goal, 4 tries (17 points) to nil. The scorers were—J. R. A. Pollock 3 tries, J. J. Pollock 1 try, and G. M. Harvey 1 try. G. McGladery kicked the goal.

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CRICKET.

M.C.C. BEAT NEW SOUTH WALES.

A THREE WICKETS VICTORY.

BRILLIANT BATTING BY HOBBS AND CHAPMAN.

(PRESS ASSOCIATION FOREIGN SPECIAL.)

SYDNEY, November 25.

A highly interesting day's play in the match between the M.C.C. team and New South Wales ended here this evening in a win for the visitors by three wickets.

At the close of play overnight the home side, with two wickets of their second innings intact, were 257 runs on, and to-day they were all dismissed for the addition of 42, thus setting the Englishmen the difficult task of getting 300 to win. Thanks chiefly to some brilliant batting by Hobbs and Chapman the visitors had got to within 27 of victory for the loss of six wickets at six o'clock, when stumps should have been drawn for the day. It had been arranged to play for a couple of hours to-morrow if necessary, but after a brief consultation between the captains it was decided to finish the match, and the remaining runs were quickly hit off for the loss of one more wicket. The bowling of the Australians was fairly good, but their fielding was inclined to be slack at times.

The attendance numbered 17,700, and the aggregate receipts for the match amounted to £7,726.

Glorious weather prevailed when Andrews (63) and Oldfield (6) resumed batting on a good wicket to the bowling of Tate and Gilligan. The overnight total of 179 for 8 was quickly converted into 200 for 8. Andrews did most of the scoring, neither bowler seeming to give him any difficulty. Tyldesley came on for Gilligan at 211, and at 219 the Lancastrian brought about a separation, Oldfield playing a delivery on to his stumps. Soon afterwards the same bowler got Scott's wicket, the innings, which lasted four hours and thirty-eight minutes, closing for 221.

In obtaining this advantage they were mainly indebted to Andrews, who was the only batsman to offer any prolonged resistance to the English bowling. His 86 (not out) was the result of two and a half hours' masterly cricket, and included in his total were eight 4's. Tyldesley bowled magnificently, his 26 overs yielding only 83 runs for 6 wickets. Tate, who sent down the same number of overs, secured 3 for 59, Gilligan capturing the remaining wicket.

Hobbs and Sutcliffe opened in promising style against the two fast bowlers, Gregory and Scott, and the Surrey player sent Gregory's first delivery skimming to the leg boundary. Sutcliffe also started well, and by delightfully free cricket the 50 was registered without loss after only 39 minutes' batting. Hobbs, who was in splendid form, delighted the crowd with some grand off-drives. He had scored 29 to Sutcliffe's 24, when the luncheon interval was taken, with the board reading 55 for no wicket.

When play was re-started Mailey re-opened the attack with Gregory, but the introduction of the googly exponent failed to shake the confidence of the batsmen, and the fast rate of scoring was maintained. The running between the wickets was very smart, and was frequently applauded. When he had scored 40 Sutcliffe gave a chance of stumping to Oldfield, which was not accepted. The batsmen were well set, and there appeared to be every hope of a first wicket century, when with only nine runs wanted Sutcliffe was bowled by Gregory, and a most entertaining partnership, which lasted just over an hour, was thus dissolved. The Yorkshireman scored his 45, which included four 4's, in his usual polished style.

Hobbs, who had made 44, was then joined by Sandham, and the latter proceeded to dig himself in with much care. His methods formed a strong contrast to those of his partner, who was in irresistible form. Entirely monopolising the run-getting, Hobbs sent the century up in an hour and twelve minutes. Macartney was brought on at Mailey's end at 111, and three runs later Sandham snicked a ball from the left-hander into Oldfield's hands, and was out for a single.

The Surrey crack meanwhile had taken his score to 66. Kilner, the next man in, was batting twenty-five minutes before he opened his account. Displaying faultless footwork, Hobbs continued to do all the scoring, and at one stage he had made 37 out of 38. The Yorkshireman had 3 to his credit when Hobbs's magnificent innings came to an end with a catch in the slips by Nothling off Scott. In scoring 81 out of 132 in six minutes under two hours the Surrey player gave of his best. His hits included 4 fours.

Hendren joined Kilner, and the pair remained together until the tea interval was reached, with the total at 164 for 3 wickets, their respective scores then being 16 and 18.

Nothling and Macartney took over the attack after tea, and only two runs had been added when Kilner was neatly caught and bowled by the former. Douglas and Hendren were then associated, and they played with such great care that runs were few and far between. The crowd, driven to impatience by these methods, shouted to Collins to "put Mailey on," and this advice was followed at 183, the googly bowler taking the ball from Macartney. His first over produced the desired result, for Douglas put his fourth delivery up to Collins at mid-off, the Australian captain making an easy catch. Douglas was batting thirty-seven minutes for his 8.

With half the side out for 183, and victory still 117 runs away, Chapman joined Hendren, who had made 25. The newcomer at once began to hit out vigorously, his aggressive methods being greatly appreciated by the crowd. The partnership had yielded 62, of which Chapman claimed 40, when the Middlesex player was bowled by Mailey for a patient 46, which included a couple of fours. He occupied the wicket for an hour and fifty-four minutes, and gave one chance to Mailey in the slips off Nothling when he had scored 17.

With Tate in, Chapman continued to play bright cricket until, at 294, he was smartly taken by Taylor at mid-off for a forceful 72, compiled in sixty-one minutes. Among his hits were 10 fours. On retiring, he was heartily cheered all round the ground. Gilligan joined Tate, and soon afterwards the English captain made the winning hit—an off drive for 3 off Gregory. The innings lasted exactly four hours and a quarter. Score:—

M.C.C.—First Innings	193
Second Innings.	
Hobbs c. Nothling b Scott	81
Sutcliffe b Gregory	45
Sandham c Oldfield b Macartney	1
Kilner c and b Nothling	19
Hendren b Mailey	46
J. W. Douglas c Collins b Mailey	8
A. P. Chapman c Taylor b Mailey	72
Tate not out	15
A. E. Gilligan not out	7
Extras	7
Total (7 wkts.)	301
NEW SOUTH WALES—First Innings	271
Second Innings.	
A. A. Mailey st Strudwick b Tate	13
O. E. Nothling b Tate	4
W. Bardsley c Strudwick b Tyldesley	14
H. L. Collins c Strudwick b Gilligan	32
C. G. Macartney b Tyldesley	4
J. M. Taylor c Strudwick b Tyldesley	19
T. J. Andrews not out	86
A. Kippax b Tate	14
J. M. Gregory c Gilligan b Tyldesley	6
W. A. Oldfield b Tyldesley	10
J. Scott b Tyldesley	2
Extras	17
Total	221

Bowling.—New South Wales—Second innings: Kilner, 0 for 11; Tate, 3 for 59; Gilligan, 1 for 60; Tyldesley, 6 for 83.

M.C.C.—Second innings: Gregory, 1 for 74; Macartney, 1 for 31; Mailey, 3 for 94; Nothling, 1 for 29; Scott, 1 for 66.

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WOOLLEY RECOVERING.

SYDNEY, Tuesday.

The doctor in attendance on Woolley states that he is hopeful that the Kent player will be well enough to take part in the first Test Match.

COURSING.

WATERLOO CUP NOMINATORS.

The following are the sixty-four subscribers for the Waterloo Cup, to be run at Altcar on February 18th and following days:—

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Mr. J. H. Bean.
Mr. S. W. Beer.
Mr. J. Bell-Irving.
Mr. H. Birkbeck.
Major C. Blundell.
Mr. E. C. L. Bradley.
Mr. K. Brown.
Sir R. W. Burbidge.
Mr. H. Charles.
Mr. W. Cockerill.
Mr. Thomas Cook.
Mr. J. T. Crossley.
Mr. T. G. Curtis.
Mr. H. Dyke Dennis.
Mr. J. F. Dennis.
Mr. S. M. Dennis.
Lord Dewar.
Mr. A. W. Drayson.
Mr. N. Dunn.
Miss R. Fawcett.
Mr. F. Fawcett.
Mr. J. W. Fullerton.
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Mr. M. L. Hearn.
Mr. W. Heyworth.
Mr. B. Hoyle.
Sir John Humphery.
Mr. J. L. Jarvis.
Sir R. W. B. Jardine.
Mr. J. Atkinson Jowett
The Duke of Leeds.
The Earl of Lonsdale.
Mr. Thomas McAlinden.
Colonel R. McCalmont.
Mr. J. R. Marshall.
Mr. G. Mayall.
Mr. C. A. Mills.
Mr. F. C. Minoprio.
Capt. Viscount Molyneux
Sir G. Noble.
Mr. P. J. O'Sullivan.
Major H. Peel.
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Mr. A. F. Pope.
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Mr. H. Sawtell.
Countess of Sefton.
The Earl of Sefton.
Mr. J. Shaw.
Mr. A. Gordon Smith.
Mr. G. Smith.
Mr. P. Storey.
Mr. W. Taylor.
Col. Lord Tweedmouth.
Capt. R. B. Webster.
Mr. James White.
Mr. A. L. Wing.

CO. WICKLOW NULLITY SUIT.

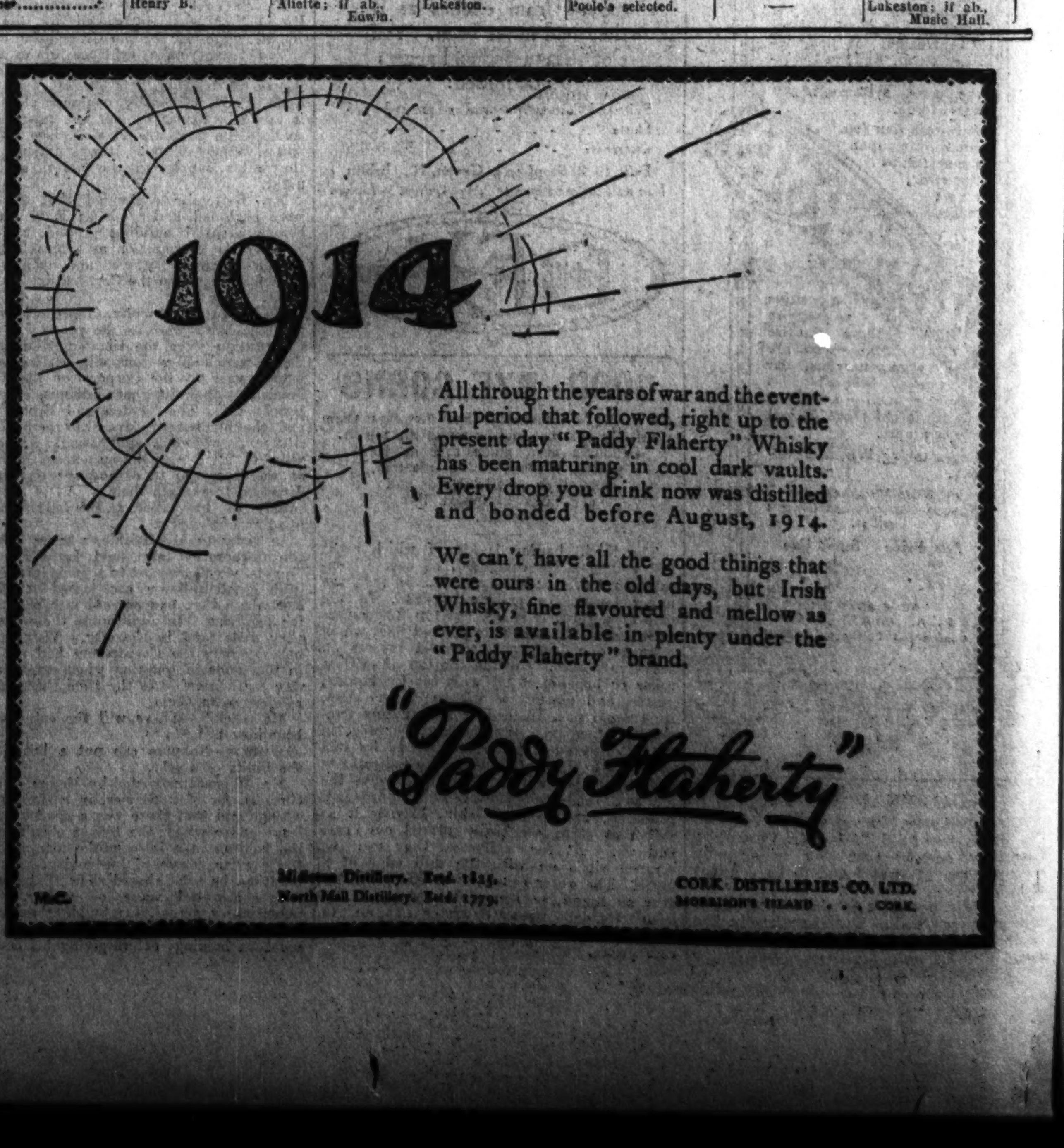
In the Divorce Court, London, yesterday, Mr. Justice Horridge had before him the petition of Mrs. Agnes Mona Charlesworth, otherwise Goodison, staying with her aunt at Carnew Castle, Carnew, Co. Wicklow, for a decree of nullity of marriage against her husband, Edwin Charlesworth, on the ground of non-consummation of marriage. The suit was undefended.

The petitioner said that she married her husband in May, 1914, and they had lived in Ireland and elsewhere. Her husband had never consummated the marriage.

His Lordship granted petitioner a decree of nullity with costs.

SELECTIONS FOR NEWBURY MEETING TO-DAY.

PAPER.	1.0 RACE.	1.30 RACE.	2.0 RACE.	2.30 RACE.	3.0 RACE.	3.30 RACE.
Irish Times	Henry B.	Aliette.	Lukeston.	Perahara.	Counter Proposition.	Bright's Boy.
Westminster Gazette	Con Cregan.	Clear Eye.	Elgar.	Emphatic.	Irish Cheddar.	Music Hall.
Daily News	Henry B.	Clear Eye.	General Advance.*	Emphatic.	White Park.	Lukeston.
Daily Express	The Heir; if ab., Con Cregan.	Aliette, next best.	Elgar; if ab., Royal Edgar.	Poole's selected; if ab., Emphatic.	Bennett's selected; if ab., Cyclax.	Music Hall.*
Daily Mirror	Rousham.	Espino.	General Advance.	Emphatic.	White Park	Music Hall
Daily Graphic	Rousham.	Sure Gain.	General Advance.*	Tullylost.	Harpenden.	Ammonal.
Star	Henry B.	Espino.	Lukeston.	Beyrob.	White Park.	Music Hall.*
Evening News	Golden Victory.*	Espino.	Royal Edgar.*	Ballyrag.	Corazon.	Winnall.
Evening Standard	Golden Victory.	Espino.	Royal Edgar.	Poole's selected.	Dark David.	Music Hall.
Daily Mail	The Saint IV.	Pilatus.	Elgar.	Battle Cruiser.	Corazon.	Music Hall.
Times*	Henry B.	Aliette; if ab., Edwin.	Lukeston.	Poole's selected.	—	Lukeston; if ab., Music Hall.



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THE EGG TRADE.

NEW BILL IN THE NORTH.

The Minister for Agriculture in Northern Ireland has issued a code of rules in connection with the Marketing of Eggs Act, which will come into force on January 1st, 1925.

In a circular to traders the Minister says that applications for licences to carry on business as wholesale dealers in eggs will, as far as possible, be dealt with in the order of receipt, and unless the requisite steps have been taken in sufficient time to enable the Department to complete the issue of the licence before the 1st January the applicant cannot legally carry on business in Northern Ireland as a wholesale dealer pending the receipt of a licence. Moreover, it will be an offence for any other person knowingly to deal by way of wholesale purchase in eggs with any such unlicensed dealer.

All practicable steps will be taken to expedite the issue of licences, and to ensure the minimum of interference with the normal conduct of business the Ministry has decided, where feasible, to grant licences to applicants without previous inspection of their premises and trading methods. In such cases it must, however, be clearly understood that the licences issued under this special arrangement are on a probationary basis.

The Ministry has throughout, both in the drafting of the Act and in the framing of the rules, taken into consideration the desirability of the re-organisation of the egg trade proceeding with the minimum of dislocation compatible with the attainment of necessary reforms within a reasonable period. Very valuable assistance has been given by a special Advisory Committee. It is not the intention of the Ministry to amend or vary the rules without prior consultation with the members of the Advisory Committee.

In a memorandum attached to the circular it is stated:—"There is no doubt that for years past the over-holding, on rising markets, of eggs by some producers, wholesale merchants and retailers, has been responsible for very serious injury to the Irish egg industry, and the Ministry will take all practicable action to eradicate any such practice in Northern Ireland."

LONDON BANKRUPTCY CASE

FORMER IRISH MEMBER APPLIES FOR DISCHARGE.

At the London Bankruptcy Court yesterday, Captain Daniel Desmond Sheehan, who formerly sat in Parliament as member for Mid-Cork and who failed in October, 1922, applied to Mr. Registrar Mellor for his order of discharge.

The Official Receiver reported that the liabilities proved and provable amounted to £954, and the assets, which were estimated by the debtor as of the value of £11,106, had, the trustee reported, realised £9. The difference between the debtor's estimate and the actual realisation was accounted for mainly by the fact that the debtor valued at £8,000 his interest in a scheme to utilise the water-power of the River Bann for hydro-electrical power. The trustee reported that that scheme was now abandoned, and that the debtor's interest in it was consequently of no value. Similarly, the debtor stated that he possessed certain mineral rights, on which he placed a value of £2,500, and nothing had been received in respect of those rights.

The debtor prior to 1901 was engaged in editorial and other journalistic work in England and Ireland, and in 1901 was elected to Parliament as member for Mid-Cork, which constituency he represented till 1918. From 1911 to 1914 he practised at the Irish Bar. In January, 1915, he received a commission in an Irish regiment, with which he served at home and abroad until 1918, when he resigned his commission on medical grounds. From 1920 to the date of the receiving order he acted as a director of a limited company. He attributed his insolvency to the political unrest in Ireland during the last few years having prevented him resuming his career after he resigned from the Army.

Mr. Cohen, who appeared for the creditor, asked that the application for discharge might be postponed, pending further inquiries being made into this hydro-electrical scheme.

In reply to the Registrar as to what the scheme was, the Official Receiver said that according to the debtor's statements in the autumn of 1921 he, in conjunction with certain other persons, decided to form a syndicate and obtain capital for Irish development. Arising out of this development was a scheme to use the water-power of the River Bann, and a bill now before the Ulster Parliament would, if passed, grant the rights to use the water for hydro-electrical purposes with the syndicate, and if, and when, a working company was formed he would be entitled to receive a share of the vendors' profits, and that he valued his interest at £8,000.

The Registrar, in suspending the discharge for three months, said that it appeared to be one of those cases in which a debtor very foolishly estimated the assets to realise a perfectly ridiculous sum, with the not unnatural result that the committee of inspection and the creditors were entirely misled in the belief that their claims would be paid in full. It turned out in this case that the debtor, without having any agreement of any kind, puts down his interest in this scheme, which was abandoned, at £8,000, whilst his assets only realised £9. There was only one offence charged against him—insufficient assets to equal 10s. in the £ of his liabilities—and a small suspension would be sufficient in his case.

CHARGE AGAINST A DOCTOR.

NAME TO BE ERASED FROM MEDICAL REGISTER.

Dr. Haydn Brown, of 30 Cavendish square, London, appeared before the General Medical Council yesterday to answer a charge that he had sought to obtain patients or to promote his own professional advantage by means of an article under his name and professional qualifications, and containing his portrait, published in *John Bull* on July 19th last, entitled "Childbirth—Amazing New Discovery."

Dr. Haydn Brown, in reply to the charge, said that the title and sub-title of the article were not written by himself. His article was intended to draw attention to the defects in medical society organisation, which had failed, and still failed, to recognise important scientific discoveries sooner than it did. He claimed that articles in medical journals had resulted in nothing advantageous to himself, the profession or the public. He considered that there was a great likelihood that this article would lead to an inquiry on the part of the General Medical Council.

President—You deliberately anticipated that this article would bring you within the scope and notice of the Council?

Dr. Brown—I did.

The Council ordered Dr. Haydn Brown's name to be erased from the Medical Register.

A COLLISION IN BELFAST.

In the Belfast Recorder's Court yesterday, District Inspector Gaffney, Royal Ulster Constabulary, sued the Belfast Corporation to recover £20.

His case was that he was driving in his motor car in Belfast with another District Inspector and turned to go down by Castle Junction. He saw tramcar No. 179 coming up Donegall place, and when he got to the outgoing tram line he stopped. The driver of the tramcar did not apparently see the motor car at first, and when he did he applied his brakes. The tramcar, however, came on and dashed into the motor car damaging it.

The case for the Corporation was that the tramcar was travelling at the rate of five miles an hour when the plaintiff's motor car came suddenly from the right and stopped on the tram line when the tramcar was only a few yards away. The driver could not pull up in time, and the collision took place.

His Honour said he was satisfied that there was no negligence on the part of the plaintiff. The question that gave him trouble was whether there was negligence on the part of the motorman. He believed the motorman's story, and he held that there was no negligence on his part either. Therefore, he held there was no negligence on either side, and consequently he must dismiss the action.

A wireless amateur in the Canton of Thurgau, Switzerland, has picked up a "wireless" message from Calgary, Canada, and a reply from Great Britain.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

HISTORY AND GEOGRAPHY.

LETTER FROM MINISTRY OF EDUCATION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—With reference to Mr. John Thompson's letter in your issue of to-day's date, his statement at the High School on last Friday that our new courses in history and geography are "absolutely narrow and provincial," was quite obviously open to misinterpretation on the part of the general public, who could not be expected to know that, in fact, these courses range over the whole of European history from the earliest stages to the present day, and include the general geography of the world, and at the later stages the intensive study of any part of it the teacher may choose to select. My letter in your issue of Saturday's date was intended merely to prevent such a misunderstanding of Mr. Thompson's remark by giving the public a summary of the courses. Mr. Thompson's fear that this summary shows that the courses have been changed is groundless. The summary is merely an abbreviation for Press purposes of the actual courses in the programme.

His letter makes it clear that his reason for stating that the courses are "absolutely narrow and provincial" is that he fears that they do not give the same position to the history and geography of England and of the British Empire as was given to them in former years. It is true that the history and geography of our own country are to be in future the main feature of the earlier courses, as is the practice in all other countries of Europe, and that much more attention will be paid to European history, ancient and modern, than has hitherto been the case; but while the history of England is treated as secondary to that of Ireland, needless to say no teacher can deal effectively with the history of Ireland without dealing very fully with that of England, nor can he deal with the periods of modern European history included in the courses for intensive study (1789-1830 and 1870-1920) without making a close study of the growth and power of the British Empire. Some schools will, naturally, prefer to deal much more fully with the history of England and of the Empire than others. The programme leaves them perfectly free to do so.

The reason for the comparison (suggested in the specimen geography course) between Ireland and such countries as Denmark, Switzerland and the agricultural States of Canada and America, is that small agricultural countries which have had to solve problems similar to those with which we are faced in Ireland would seem to be more useful objects of study for Irish boys and girls than great industrial States with vast mass industries, like England, Germany and the Eastern States of America, whose economic and industrial problems are quite different from ours.—Yours, etc.,

Seosamh O Neill.

Ministry of Education, Dublin,
November 25th, 1924.

THE LESSON OF THE ELECTIONS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—The by-elections are over, and they will have served a very useful purpose if the lesson they provide be translated into action. As one who took an active, though reluctant, part in the East Cork contest, I venture to advise very strongly that, before another contest takes place here, the policy of the Government must be altered in several respects, and the sources of dissatisfaction must be removed as far as possible. The principal objects for attention include:—

1. Reduction of income tax to 4s. in the £ at the outside.
2. Appointment of *liaison* officers for income tax adjustment with England, to obviate the operation of two taxes and remedy the evils of the present system, which is sending capital flying from the country.
3. Reduction of postage to 1½d., with attention to operation of parcels tax.
4. Reinstatement of old age pensions to the previous figure, coupled with rigid inquiry into pensions wrongfully granted, and the wiping out of the latter where valuable consideration was made over to children or others for the purpose of securing pensions for those who could do without them.
5. An Act to remit duty on home-produced beet sugar for a period of at least fifteen years on the same basis on which remission is granted in Norfolk and elsewhere in England.
6. Speeding up the division of purchased estates among congests and landless people.
7. Scaling down of official salaries generally to a scale commensurate with the poverty of the country, beginning with those on top—not the other way round.
8. Considered housing schemes for urban slum-dwellers.

The effort to make the present generation pay up in a few years the damages which should be spread over twenty years will have disastrous effects if the Government persists in it. The banks will be as much involved in the ruin as the rest of us, if the present policy of financial purism be continued. England did not attempt to pay for her great war in three years—over 2,000 million pounds of War Loan (1929-45) exists. Also she funded her debt to America and is paying gradually. The present policy in Ireland has the effect of creating widespread dissatisfaction. It is sending capital out of the country, and might have been specially designed by those who wish to see the Free State collapse.

A lower rate of income tax than England's will have the contrary effect—will stimulate trade, cause employment and induce residents to come here. I advise the Government to fund the indebtedness and to invite the financial institutions to back a new loan by underwriting. If they do not, the Government, the banks and the common people will have reason to rue it.—Yours, etc.,

Justin Condon.

Ashton Court, Youghal, Co. Cork,
November 24th, 1924.

THE MACREADYS AND MRS. CARLYLE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—From your very interesting review of Sir Nevil Macready's book it seems that he has not included the Carlyles among his father's friends, yet Carlyle's notes to Mrs. Carlyle's letters make kindlier mention of the Macreadys than was his wont—"good Mrs. Macready," "his sister, a very amiable gentlewoman," and the like. When the first Mrs. Macready was dying Mrs. Carlyle went from London to Dorsetshire to stay from Friday to Monday. She wrote to Carlyle, then in Scotland, on July 27th, 1852: "It is a long way to go for so short a time. But I should repent it afterwards if I did not gratify that poor dear woman's wish to see me once more." On the 5th of August she wrote a delightful letter to him—eight printed pages ("Letters and Memorials of Jane Welsh Carlyle," Vol. II., page 166)—telling of her adventures on the way to Sherborne. She arrived at Paddington Station with her night-things in a bag on one arm and her little dog in a basket on the other. "The journey to Frome was quite a rest after that morning's work (carrying down all the books from the top landing-place into the back parlour), and I descended from the train quite fresh for the thirty miles by coach." But behold, there was no coach at all. Her first thought was what a mercy Carlyle was not with her! She decided to take a Yeovil coach, which started at five, and would take her to a wayside inn within eight miles of Sherborne, where she hoped to get a fly or something. She and the dog walked on to Frome, pursuing their way "as calmly and naturally as if we had known where we were going." All bad inns are not in Ireland. For cold meat that even her dog refused to touch, some bread and a pint bottle of Guinness's porter she paid 2s. 6d. When she found that Yeovil is pronounced Youghal and Castle Cary Carry "I grew quite frightened that I had somehow been transported into Ireland."

A railway porter pointed out the scarlet beans in his own piece of garden: "Ah," he said, "I have lived in London and I have lived abroad; I have been here and there, backwards and forwards, while I was in service with them as never could rest; but I am satisfied now that the only contentment for man is in growing his own vegetable! Look at them beans!" He fetched a jug of water from his own spring well and a great handful of mignonette for Mrs. Carlyle. "He would have been worth a hundred pounds to Dickens, that man," she says. Later on in her coach journey two gentlemen were as remarkable in their own way. Then she started "in a little gig, with a brisk little horse and silent driver. Nothing could be more pleasant than so purring through quiet roads, in the dusk, with the moon coming out. I felt as if I were reading about myself in a Miss Austen novel." How it got beyond Miss Austen is well worth finding out. "I found Sherborne House without difficulty; and a stately, beautiful house it was, and a kind welcome it had for me. . . My two days at Sherborne House were as happy as could possibly be with that fearfully emaciated, dying woman before my eyes. They were all doing their best to be cheerful—herself as cheerful as the others. She never spoke of her death, except in taking leave of me, when she took my head in her hand and kissed it, and gave me her solemn blessing, and asked me to come again with you, to see William and the children, when she should be gone. That was a dreadful trial of my composure. I am so glad I went; it pleased her and all of them so much!"

In July, 1845, Mrs. Carlyle "did" the "Great Britain" at Liverpool. "It is three hundred and twenty feet long and fifty feet broad, and all of iron, and has six sails, and one pays a shilling to see it, and it was not 'a good joy.' All these prodigious efforts for facilitating locomotion seem to me a highly questionable investment of human faculty; people need rather to be taught to sit still." Wise woman!—Yours, etc., "K."

Queen's County, November 25th, 1924.

THE BANKRUPTCY LAWS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—Referring to a letter which appeared in your columns yesterday regarding the obtaining of credit by a person without disclosure of the fact that he is an undischarged bankrupt, Irish Chambers of Commerce have been advocating reform of the Bankruptcy Laws for some years past. I am directed to say that the matter is at present being specially considered by this Association. The point mentioned is but one of many which require to be amended.—Yours, etc.,

W. M. Calwell, Secretary,
Association of Chambers of Commerce of the Irish Free State.

Commercial Buildings, Dame street, Dublin,
November 25th, 1924.

MUSIC AND NOISE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—I would suggest that the Council of the Royal Dublin Society should omit the notice on the programme "drawing attention to the grave disturbance caused by persons entering and leaving the theatre during the performance of music," unless they are prepared to enforce it. I had the misfortune to sit near the door in the parterre at the recital on Monday, and during the playing of the twelve Preludes by Debussy there was an endless stream of people, both going out and coming in during the entire time. Then somebody sneezed, quite audibly, during the playing, and some people in the vicinity laughed—to show, I presume, that we had not lost that fine sense of humour in which Sir Nevil Macready states that we are so deficient.—Yours, etc.,

A. G. Wolseley.

15 Elgin road, Dublin,
November 25th, 1924.

SCHOOL-LEAVING AGE.

TEACHERS' RECOMMENDATIONS.

Mr. John Herlihy, Honorary Secretary of the County Dublin Committee of the National Teachers' Organisation, writes as follows:—"I am directed to forward for publication the enclosed resolution which was enthusiastically adopted at a largely-attended meeting of the Joint Committee of the Dublin City and County Branches of the I.N.T.O., and which aims at a reform of a social as well as an educational nature. It is the opinion of experienced teachers that, if the employers of Dublin could be induced to co-operate in this matter, and to refuse to take into their service any boy between fourteen and sixteen years of age who does not comply with the conditions stated in the resolution, hundreds of children now going about idle would return to school, and hundreds of others who contemplate leaving off as soon as they reach the age of fourteen, would remain no longer. I therefore desire to express the hope that the Press will recommend to the employers of Dublin, and the citizens generally, the adoption of the resolution in a practical and effective manner."

The resolution is as follows:—"Seeing that a large proportion of the pupils who leave school every year in Dublin because they reach the age of fourteen years, fail to find employment, are idle for considerable periods of time, and therefore subject to various demoralising influences, we request all city managers and teachers to give references to pupils only on condition that they remain at school till they actually get work or till they finish their school course; and to embody in the certificate or reference for each pupil a statement of his or her attendance for the three years prior to leaving.

"That we request all employers of labour in the city to co-operate in this matter by seeing that all boys and girls whom they take into their employment fulfil the conditions of staying at school till they get work, and by giving a preference to regular attenders.

"That to secure unity of action in this important matter, we respectfully request the Minister of Education to recommend the adoption of the policy outlined above both to teachers and employers."

LORD MORISON AND FREE STATE JURISDICTION.

ALLEGATIONS AGAINST IRISH JURORS DISCREDITED.

Lord Morison, in the Scottish Court of Session, at Edinburgh, yesterday, pronounced judgment in the action by Mr. John J. Cooney, of 1 Clare street, Dublin, against Major John William Dunne, of 20 Drumsheugh Gardens, Deputy Assistant Director of Ordnance Services, Scottish Command, for payment of £2,000, being the amount of a decree for damages obtained by the petitioner against the respondent in the High Court of the Irish Free State, in respect of the respondent's misconduct with the petitioner's wife.

Lord Morison said that when a successful litigant sought to enforce a judgment pronounced by the High Court of the Irish Free State at the end of a contested litigation in any court in Great Britain, or in any of His Majesty's Dominions, his rights to do so must be considered and determined on exactly the same principles as were applied to the judgment of all His Majesty's Courts. It was clearly incompetent for the respondent to contest the judgment pronounced against him on the ground that the High Court of the Free State had no jurisdiction against him. He appeared and contested the petitioner's claim. It was equally incompetent to re-try the merits of the case between the petitioner and respondent, which were fought out before a jury in Dublin.

One of the respondent's statements of fact contained some extremely vague and unsatisfactory allegations as to the disturbed political conditions of the Irish Free State, and the difficulties of obtaining responsible persons to discharge the duties of jurymen. His lordship was unable to see that these statements had any bearing on the judgment which the petitioner sought to enforce. The respondent alleged that the jury were biassed against him, and did not measure the damages according to law, but penalised him because of his nationality. All the respondent's complaints or grounds of challenge of the jury's verdict ought to have been laid before the High Court in Dublin, and if there were any substance in them—which his lordship ventured to doubt—he would have obtained an appropriate remedy. His lordship held that it was not competent to inquire into such matters before him. He repelled the defences, and gave judgment in terms of the conclusions of the summons, with expenses to the petitioner.

CAMBERLEY MEMORIAL CHURCH.

The Roman Catholic Officers' Memorial Church at Camberley, Surrey, has been dedicated by the Rev. P. Twomey, Chaplain to the Royal Military College, Sandhurst. The church has been erected as a memorial to the many Roman Catholic officers who received their training in the Staff College or the Royal Military College, and who laid down their lives during the war. The new church replaces a temporary building in which Roman Catholic officers attending the colleges had worshipped.

On the day following the dedication ceremony Solemn High Mass was sung in the presence of the Bishop of Pella and dignitaries of a large number of Roman Catholic communities; clergymen of the Anglican, Wesleyan, Congregational and Baptist Churches; representatives of the War Office, Staff College and Royal Military College, the French Army and local authorities.

After the Service there was a luncheon, at which the Bishop of Pella congratulated Father Twomey on the great work that he had accomplished. Father Twomey, in his reply, said that he had received the greatest support from his Protestant friends, who had contributed £2,000 to the funds.

A message of loyal duty was sent to the King, who graciously replied.

GREATER DUBLIN SUGGESTIONS.

COUNCIL OF ONE HUNDRED TO GOVERN.

CITY MANAGER TO DIRECT ADMINISTRATION.

A city manager for the administration of Greater Dublin was recommended by Professor Joseph Johnson yesterday. The legislative part of city government, he said, should be vested in a Council of one hundred, elected by proportional representation. A numerous assembly could govern, but could not administer. The city manager would appoint his own heads of departments.

EXPERT'S EVIDENCE. FOLLOWING AMERICAN EXAMPLE.

Professor Magennis, T.D. (Chairman), presided at a sitting of the Greater Dublin Commission which was held yesterday in the Department of Agriculture, Upper Merrion street. The other members present were:—Senator Mrs. Wyse Power, Senator O'Farrell, Senator O. St. G. Gogarty, M.D.; Mr. E. H. Alton, Mr. A. Byrne, T.D.; and Mr. A. McCabe, T.D.

Professor Joseph Johnson, who gave evidence, said that to formulate the general will of the people there should be an elected council, fully representative of every section of the municipal community; to give effect to the general will there must be an executive, and to prevent the possible violation of general laws or interests, supervision should be exercised by some department of the central Government. If the elected council were to be fully representative, it should be fairly large, and there was no objection to the number being 100 or more. It should be elected on the proportional representation system, and it should be considered, in giving effect to the general will, in its relation to the executive council.

POPULAR SOVEREIGNTY.

The executive would be considered the brain and hands of the community. It was a commonplace of political thought and experience that a numerous assembly could govern, but could not administer. Administration was a whole-time job for salaried experts, and the popular assembly was content to determine what the public functions were to be carried out, to provide the money, and to criticise the process and the result. Popular sovereignty was safeguarded by popular control and the power of the purse. A similar power must be exercised by the elected council in municipal government.

If the executive fulfilled its position adequately, it should work a plan for the future as well as for the present. Tenure of office should, therefore, be necessary. The general will of the citizens of Dublin had condemned the slums long ago, but it would not be carried out because the system of municipal government compelled administration in deference to the wishes of the faction temporarily in the ascendent.

THE CITY MANAGER.

In creating the right kind of executive and the right relations between the legislative and executive organs of municipal government, they might adopt the city manager plan, which has been set up in some 300 American cities, or they might learn from the century-old experience of German cities. If they adopted the former plan, the best way of giving effect to it would be for the elected council to appoint for a period of six or twelve years a city manager from a list provided by the Ministry of Local Government.

The city manager would then appoint his own heads of departments, either by promotion or from outside, and he alone would make all other appointments in the administration, subject only to civil service regulations. The general manager would occupy the same position in the administration as the general manager of a joint stock company, the elected councillors to be, as it were, the directors, and the citizens the shareholders.

Regarding the German plan of an executive council, it would be given effect to in much the same way. The Ministry of Local Government would prepare a list of competent persons, from which its five or seven members would have to be chosen by the elected council. They should be appointed with security of tenure for six or twelve years, and be eligible for re-appointment.

As a transitional measure, the Government might take the power to appoint absolutely three of the first seven, or two out of the first five, leaving the elected council to fill the remaining vacancies from persons placed on the list of candidates by the Ministry of Local Government.

If the right kind of municipal executive were established, municipal taxation might some day be diminished.

SOME CRITICISMS.

Answering the Chairman, he said that, with regard to the election of a representative Council, a better system might be to choose the Executive Council by lot from a selected panel.

Senator Gogarty said that the appointment of a hundred or more unpaid men would really mean they would have a small quorum controlling the Council, and these men would eventually seek remuneration for their services and become secretaries or paid officers.

Witness said that he did not think any elected body was competent to administer the affairs of a Council; certainly not to make appointments.

Mrs. Wyse Power—Do you not see any danger in handing over to officials the whole administration of a body?

Professor Johnson—I prefer it to the present method of having it carried out by incompetent people. Continuing, he said that personally he favoured the Executive Council plan.

Mr. Byrne disagreed with the suggestion that the list of candidates for positions should be supplied by the Ministry for Local Government. He favoured competitive examination, because complaint had been made that men appointed to positions in the country had not been sanctioned by the Ministry because of their political views.

Mrs. Wyse Power, disagreeing, said that people's political views or sympathies had not debarred them. At the same time she thought that persons who had done something subversive of the State should not get appointments.

The sitting was adjourned till to-morrow morning at 11.30.

STUDIED FORGERY IN PRISON.

NOW GOES BACK FOR SEVEN YEARS.

At Kent Assizes yesterday, Ernest Everett, 54, engraver, pleaded guilty to having in his possession four fifty forged one pound Treasury notes, and to feloniously uttering some of them at Gravesend.

Inspector Collins, of Scotland Yard, informed the Court that the prisoner was convicted of a similar offence in 1918, and was sentenced to seven years' penal servitude, being released on account of his exemplary conduct, and with eighteen months still to serve.

There were in all thirteen convictions against him. Accused formerly kept an engraving shop in London, employing nineteen lads, from whom he obtained premiums varying from ten pounds to twenty-five pounds. He did very little business.

Asked by the judge whether he had any reason to suppose that prisoner had manufactured the notes, the officer replied in the affirmative. He further stated that on prisoner's premises were found wax imprints and also a piece of tin plate the exact size of a one pound note. While in prison accused had studied works on engraving and chemicals.

WIFE SENTENCED.

His lordship expressed surprise at the statement, and asked that the attention of the Prison Commissioners should be called to it. His lordship told the prisoner that he was a most dangerous criminal, and that the only time that society was safe from him was when he was in prison. He passed sentence of seven years' penal servitude.

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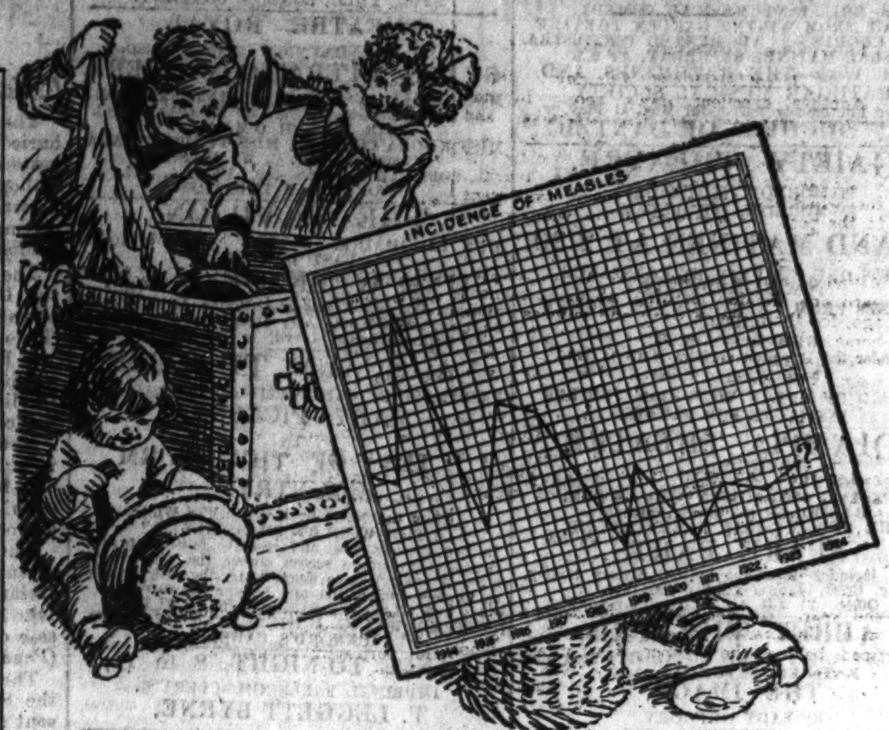

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SOUTH AMERICA.

NEED OF MISSIONARY WORK.

Mr. Barbrooke Grubb, F.R.G.S., gave two interesting addresses yesterday—one in the afternoon and the other in the evening—in the Y.M.C.A. Hall, Abbey street, Dublin, on the work of the South American Missionary Society.

South America, he said, had not received its fair amount of attention from the Christian world. In the interior of the country there were tens of thousands of Indians who had never been touched by any church or denomination and in that Continent anybody could see the stone age side by side with the twentieth century. In the cities people had every luxury that money could buy, while in the interior people worshipped as their forefathers had worshipped a thousand years ago. In a few years the forces of civilisation would stretch into the interior and come into contact with the aboriginal peoples, and the only power that could make the result of that shock satisfactory was the Church of Christ.

The county was attracting wealthy syndicates. Most of the tribes were warlike, and they had no intention of lying down before the great white man, and were prepared to resist the encroachment of settlers who might try to crush them out. He personally would rather that they would stand up and fight than submit to the terms of some so-called pioneers of civilisation. If the Church would rise to the opportunity and to the call of its Master and send its pioneers into the interior, that would prepare the people for the shock when it came.

The Archbishop of Dublin, who presided at the afternoon meeting, said that he regretted very much that Mr. Grubb, whose name was known over a very large area of the English speaking world—and he should think, also, a great portion of the Spanish speaking world—was not in the very best of health, and they all hoped that he would in a short time be as well as they wished him to be. (Hear, hear.)

DONEGAL CORONERSHIP.

ELECTION AT COUNTY COUNCIL.

At the meeting of the Donegal County Council yesterday,

Mr. P. J. McGoldrick proposed that no appointment be made to the vacant position of Coroner, and that the County of Donegal be divided into three, instead of four, Coroners' districts, for the purpose of economy.

His motion was rejected by 14 votes to 7, and the election of a Coroner was taken up. There were three candidates—Dr. Gormley, Dr. Kerrigan, and Mr. Michael McNeilus.

On the final division, Dr. Kerrigan was appointed by 11 votes to 9 for Dr. Gormley.

The County Surveyors were instructed to prepare plans and specifications for the rebuilding of Carndonagh, Donegal, and Buncrana Courthouses, which were burned before the Treaty. The Shaw Commissioners had awarded £2,600 for Carndonagh, £3,000 for Donegal, and £2,200 for Buncrana. It was stated that the money was available for the work.

A resolution was received from the Dunfanaghy Rural District Council, protesting against the County Council continuing payment to officials and superannuated officials who were now residing in the Six County area, until these persons took up residence in the Free State.

Mr. McGoldrick said that the resolution was a sensible one. It was only right to expect that money paid should, as far as possible, be expended in the area from which it was contributed.

In the course of further discussion, the Chairman said that there was going to be no alteration in the boundary.

The consideration of the question was adjourned.

PRE-TRUCE SERVICE.

APPLICATIONS FOR MILITARY PENSIONS.

It appears from a statement received from a Free State Government department that 16,518 application forms have been issued in connection with pre-Truce Army pension claims. Up to the present only 3,000 of these forms have been returned to the Ministry completed, and already about a dozen applications have been dealt with.

The procedure will unavoidably be slow, owing to the necessity of sifting the evidence, in order to safeguard the State against false or exorbitant claims. The onus of proof is on the applicants, but every facility will be given to applicants to prove their cases.

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BETHESDA SCHOOL.

A sale of work in aid of the funds of Bethesda School, 67 Eccles street, Dublin, was held yesterday in the Molesworth Hall. Lady Ardilaun was present when Miss Rachel Mahaffy read the report of the year's work. It stated that they aimed at giving the pupils a sound education, and that they succeeded in this was evident from the fact that many old pupils sent their children to the school. They wished to thank Lady Ardilaun for the keen interest she took in the school.

People who believe that they can regulate what will happen in a future war are not only idealists, but insane idealists.—Lord Cecil.

RECENT WILLS.

Mr. Alexander McCullough, of May Cottage, Rostrevor, Co. Down, retired house steward, who died on June 3 last, left personal property in England and Northern Ireland valued at £19,310. The testator left £100 to Newry General Hospital.

Mr. Charles MacMahon, of Brookfield, Dundalk, solicitor, who died on April 15 last, son of the late Mr. Charles MacMahon, Clerk of the Crown and Peace for Louth from 1869-85, left personal estate in England and the Irish Free State valued at £20,906.

I can never get an office boy who can add up a column of figures or who can write decently.—Sir William Bull, M.P.

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

MEMORIAL
TO THE LATE
RT. HON. H. DE FELLENBERG MONTGOMERY, D.L.
At a meeting of the Select Vestry of Fivemiletown it was decided to erect a Window in the Parish Church to the memory of the late Right Hon. H. DE FELLENBERG MONTGOMERY, D.L.
A Committee, consisting of John Leendrum, J.P.; J. W. Johnston, W. Johnston, and W. J. Dixon, was appointed to co-operate with the Rector in carrying out this project, the permission of the relatives having been obtained.
As it was evident that many outside the Parish were desirous of joining in this tribute of esteem, it was arranged that they should be given the opportunity of doing so.
The following have given their cordial approval and support:—
His Grace THE LORD PRIMATE, D.D.
The Right Rev. THE LORD BISHOP OF CLOGHER, D.D.
The Right Hon. THE EARL OF BELMORE, D.L.
The Right Hon. SIR JAMES H. STRONGE, BART., D.L.
The Right Hon. E. M. ARCHDALE, M.P., D.L.
J. WHITESIDE DANE, M.B.E., D.L.
Those desiring to share in perpetuating the memory of one who was so widely associated with the events of his time, and who gave his services so unreservedly for the good of his country and of his fellow-men, will kindly send their subscriptions to:—
J. W. JOHNSTON, Hon. Sec., Fivemiletown;
W. J. DIXON, Hon. Treas., Fivemiletown; or
Rev. CANON DAGG, M.A., Rectory, Fivemiletown.
His Grace the Lord Primate writes:—
There ought certainly to be a Memorial in Fivemiletown Church in memory of the late Mr. Montgomery, and a window seems an excellent proposal. I gladly give my support to the scheme, and shall subscribe to it.
The Right Rev. the Lord Bishop of Clogher writes:—
I would be greatly disappointed if there were not a Memorial placed in Fivemiletown Church in memory of Mr. Montgomery. To my mind nothing could be more suitable than a window. I shall gladly assist in this matter.

A BIBLE READING
WILL BE GIVEN
TO-DAY
In
ADELAIDE ROAD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
By
REV. HENRY MONTGOMERY, D.D., Belfast.
On Thursday and Friday Dr. Montgomery will give Bible Readings in 16 Stephen's Green at 3.30.

MISSION SERVICES
IN THE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCHES
OF THE CITY
ARE BEING HELD EACH EVENING AT 8 O'CLOCK.

BIBLE CHURCHMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY.
DUBLIN BRANCH—200 GREAT BRUNSWICK STREET.
A MEETING will be Held (D.V.) on To-morrow (THURSDAY), 27th NOV., in THE Y.M.C.A., LOWER ABBEY STREET, At 8 o'clock p.m.,
When a Lecture, illustrated with Lantern Views, Will be Delivered by
REV. WALTER KITLEY, Deputation Secretary (Formerly C.M.S. Missionary in China).
COLLECTION FOR THE B.C.M.S.

STEWART INSTITUTION FOR IMBECILE CHILDREN.
The Voting Papers for the Election of Six Pupils on 1st December, 1924, have been issued. Voters whose papers may not have come to hand are requested to apply at once to the Secretary at the Office, 40 Molesworth street, Dublin. A subscription of 10/6 gives One Vote: a donation of £5 5/- a Life Vote.

MONKSTOWN PARISH.
MISSIONARY SALE OF WORK
Will be held (D.V.) in the KNOX MEMORIAL HALL on TO-DAY (WEDNESDAY) and THURSDAY, NOVEMBER, 26th and 27th, 1924.
The SALE will be OPENED TO-DAY (Wednesday), at 2 o'clock p.m., and on Thursday at 3 p.m. till 9 p.m.
CONCERT EACH EVENING AT 8.

REGISTRATION OF CLUBS (IRELAND) ACT, 1904.
Take Notice that I intend to apply for a Renewal of the Certificate of Registration of THE NORTH TIPPERARY CLUB, NENAGH.
F. S. BRERETON, Secretary.
24th November, 1924.

SERMONS.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, RATHMINES,
RATHMINES PARK, DUBLIN.
OUR ANNUAL
THANKSGIVING SERVICE
Will be held
TO-MORROW (THURSDAY),
At 8 p.m., at above Address.
ALL ARE CORDIALLY INVITED.

ILLNESS OF THE DUKE OF BEAUFORT.

The Duke of Beaufort, who has been unwell for some time, was reported yesterday to be lying somewhat seriously ill at Badminton. He is 77 years of age.

The Irish Times.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1924.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

The remains of Cardinal Logue were buried in St. Patrick's Cemetery, Armagh, yesterday. Four archbishops, twenty-three bishops, and five hundred and twenty priests took part in the religious ceremonies, and the lay congregation numbered about three thousand.—(Page 7.)

The schemes for the "electrification" of the Liffey water power came before the Oireachtas Special Committee yesterday.—(Page 7.)

A Representative Council to govern, and a City Manager to administer, Greater Dublin were recommended by an expert witness yesterday.—(Page 5.)

Members of the Workers' Union left work at the North Wall, Dublin, yesterday forenoon, but returned in the afternoon, and undertook to handle all classes of goods.—(Page 7.)

The Marketing of Eggs Bill, passed recently by the Government of Northern Ireland, will come into force on January 1st, 1925. After that date every wholesale dealer in eggs must have a licence.—(Page 5.)

The four European experts who examined the Shannon power scheme have not yet sent their report to the Free State Government. They will, it is reported, consider other schemes.—(Page 8.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

The position of doctors for the Irish Free State was considered by the General Medical Council *in camera*.—(Page 7.)

ABROAD.

Cairo reports "all quiet" in Egypt.—(Page 7.)

SPORTING.

At Mullingar yesterday No Worry won the Newbrook Plate, Bawn-na-Glas the December Plate, Ischevaha the Clonhugh Plate, How Nice the Lough Ennel Plate, and Rising Moon the Winter Plate.—(Page 10.)

At Birmingham Clashing Arms won the Tamworth Steeplechase Handicap.—(Page 10.)

FINANCIAL.

London Stock Markets were more cheerful yesterday, and more business was passing. Brewery Shares were a strong spot.—(Page 11.)

Money was in demand in the Loan Market, and the rate for overnight advances remained at 3½-½ per cent., with some business at 4 per cent. The exchanges were dull and easier.—(Page 11.)

In Dublin Guinness Shares crossed the 50 mark at 50 1-16. Bank of Ireland and Hibernian Bank were both stronger.—(Page 11.)

The Crisis in Egypt.

The firm action of the British Government in Egypt is being rewarded with complete success. The prescribed fine of £500,000 was paid punctually to the High Commissioner on Monday; Zaghlul Pasha resigned from office almost immediately afterwards, and within a few hours Cairo was as peaceful as Liverpool or Hull. The Independent Labour Party in England may talk about oppression and "imperialism"; but there is no doubt that the prompt action of Viscount Allenby did more good in Egypt than a dozen diplomatic "Notes" would have done. The Egyptians realise now that His Majesty's Government is not prepared to tolerate any mischief-making. Zaghlul Pasha's rejection of some of Lord Allenby's demands was followed by the immediate occupation of the Customs at Alexandria by British Marines; and, unless Ziwar Pasha, the new Premier complies with the terms of the *ultimatum* to the letter, further steps will be taken to ensure their acceptance. Hitherto the crisis has produced remarkably little trouble. A few harmless demonstrations were dispersed quickly by the Cairo police; a number of students went on strike, and the Zaghlul Government addressed a protest against Britain's action to the League of Nations. On the whole, however, Lord Allenby's display of force has had a most salutary effect. It has raised Britain's *prestige* throughout the Near East. It has shown Indian and other agitators that the lion's tail no longer can be twisted with impunity, and it has proved to Europe that Britain at last has a strong Government.

Foreign comment on the crisis is instructive. France and Italy both have important interests in North Africa. Next to Britain France is the greatest Mohammedan Power in the world, and, naturally, she is watching developments in Egypt with the greatest care. One of these days the Spaniards may withdraw altogether from their corner of Morocco; and, possibly anticipating an extension of the Republic's "sphere of influence," the French Press is quite gleeful over the success of England's resolute action in Egypt. A similar point of view is expressed by the Italian newspapers. Drawing an analogy between England's action in Egypt and their own Government's action in Corfu after the murder of the members of the Albanian Boundary Commission, they declare that Signor Mussolini has been justified by Mr. Austen Chamberlain, and suggest that now the League of Nations may go out of business. A significant feature of all this comment is the fact that no newspaper, either in France or in Italy, makes the slightest suggestion of foreign interference. The French journals lay particular stress on the fact that in no circumstances can the Government of the Republic take the initiative in bringing Egypt's case before the League of Nations. Several newspapers, however, unable to resist a sneer at England, are inclined to take the view that His Majesty's Government ought to agree to the submission of the whole dispute to Geneva. It is not their business, they admit; but they think that Britain should practise now what she has been preaching to others during the past six years.

The League of Nations has nothing to do with the Egyptian crisis. When independence was granted to Egypt the country's *status* was defined quite clearly, and in the *ultimatum* of last week the British Government took particular pains to interfere in no way with what might be termed the "national rights" of the Egyptian Government. The first four demands are admitted by everybody, including the Egyptians themselves, to have been quite reasonable. The other three, which Zaghlul Pasha rejected, referred to matters that had been reserved expressly at the time of the political settlement in 1922, with a view to their amicable arrangement between the British and Egyptian Governments. Zaghlul Pasha, however, refused obstinately to come to terms on these points, and Lord Allenby merely has decided to regulate them now without waiting further on the capricious pleasure of Cairo. England's interest in Egypt is comparable with that of the United States in Cuba, and, just as the Washington Government never would tolerate outside interference with the Monroe Doctrine, so England refuses to hold herself responsible to any other Power, or even to the League of Nations, for her dealings with Egypt. The military separation of the Sudan from Egypt is an imperative necessity in the light of the murder of Sir Lee Stack. The protection of foreign interests in Cairo and elsewhere is a solemn duty; and the extension of the irrigation area at Gezira is in the best interests of the Sudan. Egypt's sovereignty has not been questioned, but Britain's rights will not be impaired.

Free State Doctors.

Yesterday, for the second time, the position of Free State doctors was discussed by the General Medical Council in London. At the former meeting the President, Sir Donald MacAlister, announced an unforeseen result of the Anglo-Irish settlement. Under that settlement doctors who had qualified in the Free State lost automatically their places on the British Medical Register and all the privileges which such *status* conferred. If the loss had been irremediable, the consequences for the medical profession in the twenty-six counties and for the Free State's universities and medical schools would have been disastrous; but a remedy was at hand. It was open to the *Oireachtas* to pass legislation which would re-establish the British Medical Register in the Free State, and there was little or no danger that this course would be opposed by the General Medical Council or by the Imperial Parliament. The duty of the Free State Government and Parliament, as trustees of the national welfare, was plain and instant, but they have been guilty of an exceedingly foolish irresolution and tardiness. Politicians raised an alleged issue of dignity—of this country's right to an independent register which would expel the jurisdiction of a "foreign" authority in Irish medical affairs. Naturally, however, the whole weight of medical opinion here favoured the retention of the British register, and the Free State Government compromised with its sentimentalists. Some months ago it introduced a bill which provides for the temporary retention of the British register and leaves the question of a permanent settlement in the air. This legislation is still incomplete; another meeting of the General Medical Council has been held, and the situation which it disclosed yesterday is very unsatisfactory, and even alarming. Sir Donald MacAlister explained that, while the *status quo* had been preserved hitherto at the request of the Free State Government, the Executive Committee of the General Medical Council had been acting on its own authority, and now required a formal decision from the whole Council. Thereupon the Council went into private session, and, as we write, the result of its discussion on the future position of Free State doctors has not been published. We may hope and believe that, while the Council's patience has been tried rather severely, it has not decided as yet to take any drastic action. Probably it has consented to retain the *status quo*—to regard the Medical Acts as still valid in this country—until the bill which is now before the *Oireachtas* has become law. If the Free State Government and Parliament had any proper appreciation of the great interests which are at stake in this matter, the present situation could not have arisen. They would have scouted the attempt to make a great calling the victim of political propaganda and to close doors through which thousands of Irishmen have advanced to fame and honour in the Empire's service. The Government's temporary legislation ought to be put on the Statute-book without delay. Afterwards, as soon as may be, further legislation ought to make the British Medical Register a *ktema es aei* of the medical profession in the Free State.

Houses and Builders.

All classes of the community in Great Britain are waiting with interest to see how the new Government will deal with the problem of housing, which caused so much trouble to its predecessor in office. Mr. Neville Chamberlain, who has succeeded Mr. Wheatley as Minister for Health, considers that the time has arrived for a genuine effort by local authorities and builders to repair the shortage. It seems probable that the lead in this matter will come from Lancashire, as has been the case in many affairs of national importance in the past. A conference of Lancashire and Cheshire local authorities, which was called by the National Housing and Town-Planning Council, met at the Town Hall, Manchester, on Monday. At this conference a scheme was propounded for the supply of skilled workers in the building trade. The plan survived a critical examination and was approved unanimously. It provides for the establishment of a "building trades craft-training committee" in Manchester. This committee will consist of representatives of building firms, building trade unions, the Manchester Corporation Housing Committee and the Manchester Education Committee. Its aim will be the training of apprentices, from the age of fourteen to manhood, in all departments of work on house construction. If the scheme can be made effective, it should do much to counteract the dearth of trained operatives which resulted from the war, when about seventy-five *per cent.* of this class enlisted. The London County Council also is giving its attention to the matter, and there is reason to hope that at last something may be done on a large scale to provide homes for Britain's homeless. Perhaps the Free State Government will be able to take many useful hints from the development of England's latest plans.

Northern Eggs.

The Marketing of Eggs Act will come into operation in Northern Ireland on January 1st, 1925, and the Ministry of Agriculture has issued a code of rules which will be obligatory on traders. All wholesale dealers in eggs must possess licences, and any person who makes wholesale purchases from an unlicensed dealer will be guilty of an offence. It is the Ministry's intention that there shall be the *minimum* of interference with the normal business of the trade; and for this reason probationary licences will be issued in cases where an inspection will not have been found possible before the 1st January. These licences may be revoked if subsequent inquiries show them to have been unjustified. The Ministry has the assistance of a special advisory committee which represents the poultry trade, and no changes will be made in the rules, as promulgated, until the committee has been consulted. Attention is drawn to the importance of the whole subject, and to the harm which has been done in the past through the marketing of inferior eggs. The Ministry's memorandum summarises the position with the statement that "no single factor could be more damaging to the reputation of Northern eggs than the inclusion of stale and bad eggs in consignments." The new regulations have the general approval of those who are most interested in the agricultural export trade in Northern Ireland, and there is no doubt that they will receive the support which they deserve.

OLD IRELAND AND SIR WILLIAM ORPEN.

SOME BREEZY STORIES.

"Have you struggled along the rocky road to Dublin? Have you stood on O'Connell's Bridge and watched the sunset up the Liffey? No sunset by Claude or Turner can compare with it. Have you been to the Brazen Head by the river, and sat in Robert Emmet's chair, and had your pint and dreamt dreams?"

With these words Sir William Orpen opens his new book of memories and pictures, "Stories of Old Ireland and Myself" (Williams and Norgate, 12/6 net). "Crossing from Holyhead to Kingstown, there is always a thrill for an Irishman when he catches sight of St. Patrick's Isle. . . Dawn over Dublin Bay is a wonderful sight. One wishes to stop the boat and watch this splendour, changing from one beauty to another. . . . One could travel to many corners of the world before finding such pure beauty; yet with it always a feeling of sadness—a calm, overpowering sadness, a sadness one cannot explain."

These reflections lead on to a characteristic tale. "Oliver Gogarty and George Moore were travelling in a train out Dundalk way. Moore was holding forth about the beauties of nature, Nathaniel Hone's pictures, and so on, when suddenly he cried out, 'Look quick, Gogarty! Is'nt that view superb, now? I would give pounds to be able to see it for just a few minutes.' 'Right,' said Oliver; 'You'll have your wish, Moore.' He pulled the communication cord, and the train stopped."

GLADSTONE AND DAVITT.

Early memories recall a story which Dr. Butler, late Master of Trinity, told the author about Gladstone and his lack of humour. Dr. Butler, Gladstone and a friend were cruising in the Norwegian fjords. Gladstone told stories of memories going back to his second birthday. His friend "got rather bored," and began to tell very gravely a story of how he, himself, when in his cot, saw a red-faced woman peer over him. He pretended to be asleep, he said, and the woman furtively took a bottle from a hiding place and had a long drink. He remembered, he said, saying to himself: "My! when I am able to talk, just won't I tell mamma!" Gladstone listened quite seriously to this outrageous story and said, "That is really very remarkable."

Sir William painted Michael Davitt, and tells of a significant utterance by the founder of the Land League: "You are young," said Davitt. "Take my advice; don't take any side; just live, and learn to try to understand the beauties of this wonderful world that God has been good enough to give us. There is nothing that spoils its beauty more than party politics and intrigues, or taking sides in any way against your fellow-men. These things have ruined this beautiful world for me for years and years. Aye, take my advice, live to love, and never hurt even a flea when he bites you. Remember it's his nature: he is only answering his call to live with as much right as you or I."

MR. HEALY AND LORD MACDONNELL.

There are anecdotes about Mr. T. M. Healy, whom Sir William regards as owning "the greatest sense of humour it has ever been my lot to meet."

"Sir Anthony MacDonnell (now Lord MacDonnell) I also painted," Sir William says, "when he was Under-Secretary to George Wyndham—a strong man, with a big sense of humour, but it took a lot of thought to see through it; the mask he covered it up with was a very thick one. When George Wyndham went, there was talk in Ireland as to whether Sir Anthony would become Chief Secretary or not. One day when he was sitting to me I asked him if he was going to try for this job. He replied, 'No, I am too old.' 'Too old?' I said, surprised. 'Yes' said he. 'You see, to be Chief Secretary I should have to become a member of Parliament, and I am too old to learn to tell lies now.'"

WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference. — The depression south-west of Ireland is likely to continue to move very slowly south-east, and winds will be south-easterly over the British Isles, with mainly cloudy weather, and perhaps local drizzle in the Eastern districts and rain at times in the West.

N.W. and N.E. Ireland.—Wind south-easterly, mainly light to moderate, but fresh at times; fair to dull, perhaps local drizzle; some mist; moderate temperature.

S.E. and S.W. Ireland.—Wind south-easterly, fresh to strong at times; cloudy; some rain or drizzle; visibility moderate to good; mild.

All Irish Seaboards. — Wind mainly south-easterly, moderate or fresh; dull; some rain; visibility moderate or good; sea moderate to rather rough.

Dixon and Hempenstall, Barometers and Forecasters, 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt.)

BAROMETER.
Dublin—Tuesday (5 p.m.) 29.60
SUN.
To-day....Rises .. 8. 9 Sets 4.15
To-morrow.. .. 8.11 .. .. 4.14.
Lighting-up Time 5.15
HIGH WATER.
DUBLIN.
To-day....Morning 10.25 Night 10.48
To-morrow.. .. .. 11. 8 .. .. 11.34

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

Gaiety Theatre—"Sally," 2.30 and 7.45 p.m.
Theatre Royal—"Tilly," 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Queen's Theatre—"Pranks," 7 and 9 p.m.
Olympia Theatre—"Spare Parts," 7 and 9 p.m.
Abbey Theatre—"The Image" and "Crabbed Youth and Age," 8 p.m.
La Scala Theatre—"Tess of the Storm Country."
Metropole Cinema—"The Great White Way," 3, 5.50, and 8.45 p.m.
Grafton Cinema—"Rupert of Hentzau," 2, 4.15, 6.25, and 8.35.
Grand Central Cinema—"What Price Loving Cup?"
Princess Cinema, Rathmines—"Madame Guillotine," 3, 6, and 9 p.m.
Pavilion, Dun Laoghaire—"One Week of Love," 3.30 to 10.15 p.m.
Dublin Sketching Club Exhibition—Mills' Hall, Merrion Row.
St. Andrew's College Old Boys—Meeting at College, 5.30 p.m.
The Senate and Dail—Leinster House, 3 p.m.
North Dublin Rural Council, 12 o'clock.
South Dublin Catholic Insurance Society, Kingstown.
Rathmines Parish—Institution of New Incumbent, 8 p.m.
Irish Banks' Health Insurance Society—40 Dawson Street, 5.15 p.m.
Private Bills Joint Committee—Leinster House, 11 a.m.
Royal College of Physicians—Stearne Anniversary, 5 p.m.
Dublin Union Commissioners, 11 a.m.
College Historical Society, 8 p.m.
Irish Order of Reckabites—Cavendish Row, 7.30.
Dublin Circuit Court, 11 a.m.

Most theatrical managers want something that is exactly like something else.—Mr. Arnold Bennett.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

The Prince of Wales returned last evening to York House, St. James's Palace, from Leighton Buzzard, where he had spent the last few days in connection with his plans for the coming hunting season. The Admiralty announced officially last night that the Prince's forthcoming journey to South Africa will be made on H.M.S. Repulse.

The Queen, Princess Mary, Mrs. Gerard Leigh, General Lord Byng of Vimy and Captain the Hon. Lionel Lambert, R.N., will be the sponsors at the baptism of the infant daughter of General the Earl of Cavan and the Countess of Cavan, which will take place this afternoon in the Guards' Chapel, Wellington Barracks.

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Yesterday was a busy time for various members of the Royal Family. The Prince of Wales presided at the annual dinner in aid of the Gardeners' Royal Benevolent Institution, which was held in the Guildhall and was attended by a large company. Prince Henry was present at the luncheon in aid of the Child Emigration Society, which was held in the Cannon street Hotel. The Duchess of York spent quite a long time at the annual sale of work organised by the Church Army in the Central Hall, Westminster; and Princess Beatrice opened the annual bazaar in aid of the Waifs' and Strays' Society, which was held in Claridge's Hotel.

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Princess Helena Victoria was among the guests at the farewell dinner given by Lord and Lady Askwith to the retiring French Ambassador and the Comtesse de Saint Aulaire. Others who were present included the Marquis and Marchioness of Sligo, the Countess of Midleton, Lord and Lady Edward Gleichen, the Hon. Sidney and Lady Delia Peel, General Sir John and Lady Maxwell, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Peel and Mr. and Mrs. A. Noyes.

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The Queen of Norway, who spent last week in London, has now returned to Appleton House, King's Lynn, where she will celebrate her birthday to-day. She will be among the family gathering at Sandringham on December 1st, the birthday of Queen Alexandra, who is said to be looking very well this winter. The King of Norway is not expected to leave for England for another couple of weeks, when he will join Queen Maud in Norfolk.

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The Marquis and Marchioness of Ormonde are staying at their London house at present, but will leave shortly for Gennings, near Maidstone. The Marquis of Londonderry has arrived in Belfast from England. The Marchioness of Londonderry will lend Londonderry House next Tuesday for an exhibition and sale of work executed by the men of the War Service Legion, in which she takes a deep interest. The Marquis and Marchioness of Zetland are in residence at Aske Hall, where they will entertain a large family party for Christmas.

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Viscount and Viscountess Massereene and Ferrard have arrived from London and will be present to-day at the marriage of Mr. John Pollock and Mrs. Murray-Smith, sister of Lady Massereene and Sir Thomas Ainsworth, which will take place at Slane, County Meath. Earl and Countess Cadogan have left Culford Hall for London. The Countess of Gosford, Lady Juliet Trevor and Lady de Trafford have returned to London from Paris. Viscountess Cowdray has left Paddockhurst for London, where Viscount Cowdray will join her at the end of this week.

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Lord Saltoun continues to make satisfactory progress after his recent accident. Sir Felix Pole, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, is reported to be doing well. Lord Claud Hamilton has undergone an operation and will remain in a nursing home in London for some weeks.

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The heredity of genius is apparent in the case of the one lady member of the Institute of Naval Architects, Miss Rachel Parsons, who is the only daughter of that distinguished Irishman, the Hon. Sir Charles Parsons, K.C.B., F.R.S. Miss Parsons is also a member of the Women's Engineering Society, of which her mother, the Hon. Lady Parsons, J.P., is the President. Sir Charles is the youngest son of the third Earl of Rosse, who erected the celebrated telescope in the grounds of Birr Castle and greatly encouraged the study of astronomy in Ireland.

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A marriage has been arranged, and will take place early in January, between Rev. J. W. Grainger, 2 King's terrace, Queenstown, youngest son of the late John Grainger, Macroom, and Mrs. Grainger, Macroom, and Edith, youngest daughter of the late Francis Edward Rowland, Kilboy House, Cloyne, and Mrs. Rowland, Silverdale, Queenstown.

What is "The Greatest Gift"? If you are in doubt, young or old, come to the matinée at the Gaiety Theatre to-morrow (Thursday), organised by Miss Mary O'Hea, in aid of Queen Victoria's Jubilee Institute for Nurses.

Switzers are offering very special value in Ladies' Tan Nappa Gloves, Fur top, fleece-lined, elastic at wrist—8s. 11d. per pair.

Wonderful Dance Frocks, every beautiful new shade, 15s. 9d. to 5 guineas.—W. Holmes, Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 Sth. Gt. George's st.

Perfection in Millinery. Atkinson's Irish Poplin.—31 College Green, Dublin.

Chancellor and Son, Photographers. New Electric Studio, 7 Grafton street, Dublin.

At Madame Renée's this week Special Sale of Winter Coats, many being marked as low as cost price.—Harry st. (off Grafton st.).

Alice (late Switzers) is making Girls' Dance Frocks in Crêpe-de-Chene and Georgette from 5½ guineas.—18 Stephen's Green.

Switzerland—If you are going for the winter sports I have experience how you should be clothed. Consult me.—F. C. Bryson, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Tailor, 3 Church lane, two doors from College Green P.O.

We are clearing a Manufacturer's High-Class Stock of Navy and Black Serge, Gaberdine and Repp Skirts; also a few Brown and Tweed Sports Skirts, tailor-made. Genuine Bargains.—Boyers and Co., 20, 21, 22 North Earl street.

Dainty black georgette evening gown, bordered with marabout and finished with rose petalled scarf, for 6½ gns. at Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton street.

PASSENGERS ON ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.

Arrival—Miss Lewis.

Departures—H. Murphy, Mrs. Murphy, Miss Ewing Kennedy, Mrs. Michael Biddulph, Sir Edward C. Bigger, M.D.; Mrs. Kevin O'Duffy, Miss Kevin O'Duffy, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Barrett, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Gamble, Miss Mabel McComas, Miss G. I. McComas.

Other Arrivals and Departures will be found in "Dublin and the Provinces."

Charming Evening Gowns and Dance Frocks showing this week at McBirney's.

The Mansfield Sisters, 28 Wicklow street, have a Special Sale of all their Millinery this week. Genuine Reductions.

Mourning Orders receive prompt attention. 'Phone 4905.—Davis and Co., 45 Grafton st.

End of Season Millinery Sale. Genuine reductions.—M. Cathcart, 26 Dawson street.

Oriental Goods in great variety and prices moderate. 11-5.—17 South Anne street, Rainsford.

Electrolysis for the removal of superfluous hairs, etc. Permanently removed by fully qualified lady expert. Consultations free.—Maison Prost, Ltd., 24 Stephen's Green, Dublin.

TO LADIES.—Elastic Stockings, Belts and Medical Appliances. Special department for ladies on 1st floor. Female attendant.—Fannin and Co., 41 Grafton st.

Special Sale of Day and Evening Gowns on Wednesday and Thursday. Chiffon Velvet, Marocain and Georgette Gowns from 3½ to 12½ gns. All Models clearing 10 per cent. under usual prices. See windows.—Davis and Co., 45 Grafton street

OIREACHTAS TO-DAY.

Both the Senate and the Dail will meet to-day. The Upper House will consider several important measures, including the Intoxicating Liquor Bill, the Dairy Produce Bill and the Housing Bill. It will accept Mrs. Stopford Green's presentation of the casket, which is to be the repository of the Senate roll. The Dail will, it is expected, complete the Committee stage of the Local Government Bill, and then take up consideration of supplementary and additional estimates. These are three in number, representing the estimated expenditure on Property Losses Compensation, the Railway Tribunal, and the Royal Dublin Society (following the removal of the Society's offices from Leinster House).

LONDON LETTER.

QUIET IN EGYPT.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
TUESDAY NIGHT.

The Egyptian situation is regarded as distinctly easier to-day, and it is hoped that there will be no further trouble regarding the *ultimatum*. Complete absence of trouble in the peculiar circumstances scarcely can be expected for some time to come. Reports from the Sudan indicate that the freeing of that country from Egyptian interference is regarded as an unmixed blessing. It is a little difficult to realise that the Sudan is a country about twenty times the size of England, though it has a population of only three and a half millions. Its history during the past century has not been happy. Before it fell under the tyranny of the Mahdi it had a population of over eight millions, but after Omdurman this had fallen to two millions. The people had been reduced one-fourth in a generation. Under the care of the English it has increased steadily.

Mr. A. Chamberlain had a consultation this morning with Earl Beatty, the First Lord of the Admiralty, and the Earl of Cavan, the Chief of the Imperial Staff, in connection with the Egyptian situation. It is understood that the two chiefs made recommendations for meeting any emergency likely to arise out of the policy of the British Government, which is to concentrate upon the maintenance of all our interests in the Sudan, while offering, in addition, the necessary protection to foreign interests in Egypt. Afterwards Mr. Chamberlain had a consultation with Sir Laming Worthington-Evans, the Secretary for War.

Socialist Misgivings.

It was not to be expected that the Socialists would support the action taken by the Government in Egypt, though it follows almost in detail the plans adumbrated in Mr. Ramsay Macdonald's White Paper on Egypt, issued a few months ago. As soon as possible after the meeting of Parliament Mr. Macdonald will initiate a debate on foreign affairs, probably on December 9th, with special reference to the Egyptian situation. It is the intention of Mr. Chamberlain to go to Rome on December 4th, and, though Mr. Macdonald is willing to postpone the debate, it is feared that his followers will not permit such a course. The debate promises to be an interesting one, since Mr. Macdonald can scarcely disclaim his own policy in connection with the demands made by Zaghlul Pasha, and in the White Paper already mentioned. He has now been in office and must realise responsibility.

Egypt's Appeal to Geneva.

In Government circles here satisfaction is expressed regarding the constitution of the new Egyptian Government, and it is believed that it will act reasonably and with efficiency. It is not altogether a Cabinet of politicians; for it includes representatives of several different interests and creeds. The British Government will not hurry its deliberations, recognising that it must be given time to define its policy and to agree with the demands made from here. This reason alone will prevent any movement of British troops or anything of that kind for a few days. With regard to the appeal by the Egyptian Chamber to the League of Nations, it is pointed out that the League has no standing in this, a purely domestic matter.

The Boundary Commission.

The staff of the Boundary Commission is still awaiting the statements expected from Ireland, but it is now regarded as possible that the wait may soon be at an end. The delay attending the deliberations of the Commission is rather intriguing in view of the once prevailing idea that there was no time to lose. In some quarters it is hoped that the delay means that all hopes of a settlement by consent are not yet dead.

Air Defences.

Sir Samuel Hoare, the Minister for Air, has some ambitious ideas concerning aviation which he will certainly try his utmost to accomplish. He wants to see all the official air routes of Europe concentrated in London, thinking that it would be a great advantage to trade if communications could be improved and expedited, more particularly with other capitals of the Empire. Wonderful developments are taking place at Croydon, including a huge tower of crimson light which is to serve as a lighthouse for airships and aeroplanes at night. The Minister for Air is also devoting attention to the problem of defending London from attack by air. I rather incline to the idea that this is a matter which touches the feelings of the Londoner more nearly than trade routes. At the beginning of next year Air Marshal Sir John Salmond takes up his new appointment as Chief of the Home Defence Air Force. Great progress has been made already in the gathering of the *personnel*; more than twenty new aerodrome sites have been acquired, while the new squadrons are being formed rapidly.

A Rembrandt.

The Rembrandt picture of Saskia as "Deborah," sold at Christie's on Friday last for six thousand two hundred guineas, is to go to the United States. It was feared at the sale, when the name of "Mr. Smith" was given as that of the purchaser, and his real identity carefully kept a secret, that some such fate awaited the painting, which is now accepted as genuine. "Mr. Smith," it is now known, conceals the identity of a well-known firm of London art dealers.

Prince Arthur of Connaught.

It is rumoured that the King will create Prince Arthur of Connaught a Marquis in the New Year Honours List, one of the reasons advanced being that His Majesty has already conferred Marquisates upon three members of his family. These are the Marquis of Cambridge, the Marquis of Carisbrooke and the Marquis of Milford Haven. It has to be remembered, however, that in every case the peerage was a new one, since the original holders possessed only titles derived from foreign sources. In the case of Prince Arthur, who has twice refused a peerage, the circumstances are very different. He is the heir to the double Dukedom of Connaught and Strathearn, and his wife is a Duchess in her own right, so that his son, the Earl of Macduff, in the course of time will inherit three Dukedoms. The only advantage to the Prince of a peerage would be the privilege of sitting in the House of Lords.

Hire-Purchase.

This year sees the first centenary of the hire-purchase system. The system, states *The Cabinet Maker*, originated in France after the devastating effects of the Revolution and Napoleonic Wars. The Countess of Blessington brought the scheme to England in 1828. She visited several London cabinet-makers, and told them of the popularity of hire-purchase as applied to furniture. One of the firms was wise enough to recognise the commercial advantage of the scheme, and thus was introduced and adopted hire-purchase in this country. The growth of hire-purchase was much impaired by repressive laws, prejudiced judges and an unsympathetic Press. It would seem, however, that most of these troubles are at an end.

LORD LONDONDERRY.

Lord Londonderry crossed to Belfast via Stranraer last night.

LORD JELLICOE LEAVES NEW ZEALAND.—Admiral Viscount Jellicoe leaves New Zealand to-morrow on the termination of his appointment as Governor-General.

ALL QUIET IN EGYPT.

STATEMENT BY THE PREMIER.

CABINET'S TASK.

A DIPLOMATIC APPOINTMENT.

NO FURTHER ACTION BY BRITISH.

Future events in Egypt hinge on the policy of the new Government. If Ziwar Pasha announces that he is willing to accept those British demands which Zaghlul rejected, there will be an end to the immediate trouble. It may be assumed that Ziwar will probably prove conciliatory.

His character, his experience, and the circumstances of his call to office lead to the anticipation that he will take the line that is said to have been advocated by some of the members of Zaghlul's own Government, that Egypt is not able to resist the British demands. No further action will be taken by the British Government until Ziwar has decided what he will do.

The situation lends great interest to an announcement made by the Foreign Office last night—that Mr. Nevile Meyrick Henderson (a Councillor of the Diplomatic Service) has been appointed British Minister Plenipotentiary at Cairo.

Lord Allenby, the High Commissioner—with the object of strengthening whose hands the appointment is made—will thus have the assistance of an experienced diplomat, to whom he will be able to delegate an important section of his work. The appointment is a new one.

Mr. Henderson is familiar with the psychology of Eastern peoples, as he has had a good deal of experience at Constantinople, as well as in other capitals.

FINDING A WAY OUT.

CONVERSATIONS TAKING PLACE IN CAIRO.

CAIRO, Tuesday.

Conversations are actively going on between the new Egyptian Cabinet and the Residency for the solution of the present deadlock, and it is confidently hoped that a way out will be found very soon.

There is, however, no truth for the statements published in the local Press that the Customs have been evacuated by the British. Information has reached here that the withdrawal of Egyptian officers and Egyptian units from the Sudan is in progress. One Egyptian battalion left Omdurman yesterday for Port Sudan.—(*The Times* Correspondent.)

ALL QUIET.

In the Egyptian Parliament this evening, the President read the Royal decree adjourning both Houses for a month. After this had been done the members quietly dispersed.

Altogether complete tranquillity reigns in Cairo, and there is no reason to think that this condition of affairs will not last. The excitement in the capital has subsided, and a period of waiting has commenced. Zaghlul Pasha has retired to his country house for a rest.—(Reuter.)

NEW PREMIER'S STATEMENT.

Before leaving his hotel to take up his new duties at the offices of the Council of Ministers this morning, Ahmed Ziwar Pasha, the new Prime Minister, told me that he and his colleagues accepted the task of governing the country, because Egypt was in a critical position as the result of recent events, and it was to the interest of everyone that the country should not be without a Government.

The Prime Minister said that the members of the new Cabinet were fully alive to the great responsibilities and difficulties of their position. He admitted that it required some courage to face them, but he and his colleagues felt that it was their duty as patriotic Egyptians to do what they could to relieve the situation. He went on to say that the maintenance of public order was absolutely essential, and that he and his colleagues were resolved not to allow anything to trouble the peace of the country.

He concluded by saying that he trusted that eventually Great Britain would display the same benevolence towards Egypt, which she had always shown in the past, for a state of hostility between Great Britain and Egypt would make the position of any Egyptian Cabinet difficult, and would be highly detrimental to the interests of Egypt.

Towards one o'clock Lord Allenby, the British High Commissioner, drove up with Mr. Clark Kerr, the Counsellor, and Captain Hindley, his Aide-de-Camp. Ziwar Pasha received the High Commissioner bare-headed at the top of the steps, and conducted him to his private room, where they conversed for some time. Afterwards Ziwar Pasha had a long conference with Mr. Clark Kerr.—(*The Times* Correspondent.)

THE STRIKE OF STUDENTS.

The new Minister of Education in Ziwar Pasha's Cabinet is issuing instructions to the students, who went on strike as a protest against the British demands, ordering them to return to their studies at once, failing which stern measures will be enforced.

The students themselves, at a meeting this morning, determined to continue on strike, but to make no demonstration pending orders from Zaghlul Pasha.

The Governor of Assiut rigorously suppressed an attempted demonstration in the town to-day.—(Reuter.)

OPINION IN SUDAN.

"MEASURES DO NOT GO FAR ENOUGH."

KHARTOUM, Tuesday.

The British Notes to the Egyptian Government were published here yesterday morning, both in Arabic and English, and aroused intense excitement. The Sudanese are generally contented with the British action, although in some quarters the view is expressed that the measures do not go far enough.

Members of other nationalities express satisfaction with the situation, and good humour is everywhere apparent. The telephone and telegraph services are being worked by British staffs, the Egyptian employés having been suspended from duty.

The *Sudan Herald*, which publishes the text of the British Notes, comments in strong terms on "the situation which has been caused in the Sudan through Egyptian machinations." The paper demands the complete severance of the two countries, and urges that in addition to the evacuation of Egyptian officers and troops, the removal of the entire Egyptian civil population, mainly consisting of Government employés, should be considered as quickly as possible, otherwise it believes the channel for carrying on intrigues and malpractices will remain.

Expressing Sudanese opinion, the *Sudan Herald* declares that the British action is a blessing for them, and will enable them to take a greater part in the administration of their own country.—(Reuter.)

AMERICAN RADIO TEST.

CAPE TOWN, Tuesday.

Many amateur wireless listeners throughout South Africa heard quite clearly the radio test from America in the International Radio Week series. Even the barking of a dog was heard.—(Reuter.)

FREE STATE DOCTORS.

THE GENERAL MEDICAL COUNCIL CONFERS.

WILL DEFINE POSITION.

The position as to the Irish Free State was considered by the General Medical Council at their meeting in London yesterday *in camera*, and no statement was issued to the Press concerning any decision which might have been reached.

Sir Donald MacAlister, President, in the course of his address, had previously stated that the position as regards the Irish Free State was not yet authoritatively determined. Legislation, which was deemed necessary to remove doubts and to establish an explicit basis for complementary Government action in this country, had been initiated in the Irish Parliament, but it had not yet been carried through its final stages. Pending the completion of such legislation, the Irish Government asked, in August last, for an assurance that the position as regards the General Medical Council would "continue unchanged for the present." Acting on the advice of the Executive Committee, which had considered the general question on July 28, Sir Donald said that he forwarded to the Lord President for communication to the Free State Government, through the Colonial Office, an assurance that "all procedure respecting elections, registration of students and practitioners, etc., shall continue until the meeting of the General Council in November next, as if the Medical Acts were in undisputed force and effect in the Free State."

This assurance, he said, had been duly implemented by him on the authority of the Executive Committee, but it would now fall to the Council itself to consider the question after receiving *in camera* such information on the subject as was at present at his disposal.

NEW REPRESENTATIVES.

Sir Donald announced that Dr. Leonard Kidd had been elected without opposition for Ireland as one of the six direct representatives on the Council.

It was announced that the six direct representatives for England, Wales, Scotland and Ireland had been elected as follows:—

Dr. Henry Britten Brackenbury, Dr. Robert Alfred Bolam, Sir Thomas Jenner Verrall, and Dr. James Alexander MacDonald (England and Wales); Dr. Leonard Kidd (Ireland), and Sir Norman Walker (Scotland.)

CHURCH REUNION.

EAST AND WEST COMING NEARER.

Reunion between the Churches of the East and West seemed to have been brought a step nearer when at a meeting at Wadham College, Oxford, last night Bishop Gore, formerly Bishop of Oxford, appeared on the platform side by side with the Right Reverend Germanos, Metropolitan of Thyateira, and one of the influential prelates in the Eastern Orthodox Church. Both Bishop Gore and the Metropolitan are keen workers for reunion between the Anglican and the Greek Churches.

The meeting, which was arranged by the Society for Church Reunion, will be followed by a Service this morning in the University Church of St. Mary The Virgin, when Bishop Shaw and the Metropolitan, both in full vestments, and attended by Deacons of Honour, will be present. The Service, which is of a unique character in Oxford, will be conducted with full ceremonial, and Holy Communion will be celebrated.

BENGAL TERRORISTS.

LORD LYTTON AND RECENT ARRESTS.

CALCUTTA, Tuesday.

Speaking at Malda yesterday, Lord Lytton, the Governor of Bengal, made his first public reference to the recent ordinance and the arrests of extremists. The peace in Bengal, he said, and the lives of its citizens have been threatened by a comparatively small body of men who have introduced terrorism into their political programme, and are seeking to murder those whom they hate or fear, to overawe, by threats of murder, those whose political activities are inconvenient or objectionable to them, and to import foreign arms and ammunition into the country for the purpose of making their terrorism effective.

At the conclusion of his speech, Lord Lytton declared that every single man who has been arrested under Regulation 3 of the 1818 Act, or under the new ordinance, is the member of a terrorist organisation. Every man who has been arrested has not been detained on the isolated statement of a single informer, but on evidence from many quarters.

TRAIN-WRECKING ATTEMPTS.

Two more incidents have occurred on the Eastern Bengal Railway, thus bringing up the number of attempts at train wrecking to five in three weeks. The authorities state that, while inquiries had definitely established the existence of a campaign of train wrecking, there was at present no evidence to connect it with any revolutionary political motive.—(Reuter.)

AGRICULTURAL WAGES.

BRITISH MINISTER'S ADVICE.

Addressing the opening meeting of the Agricultural Wages Board in London yesterday, Mr. Wood, British Minister of Agriculture, expressed the hope that with the spirit of goodwill and with somewhat better agricultural prospects, machinery might be the means of securing such an advance in wages as would raise the standard of agricultural labour without imposing burdens on the industry greater than it could bear. Since many of the lowest rates were fixed there had been a definite improvement in agricultural prices, and he was sure that farmers would not grudge labourers their full share of any increased prosperity.

Calling on the workers' representatives also to show a reasonable spirit of compromise, he said to both sides, a shilling either way with goodwill was worth more than a shilling to win with goodwill lost.

GERMAN GENERAL PARDONED.

FRENCH GOVERNMENT'S WISE CLEMENCY.

PARIS, Tuesday.

It is confirmed that the Government has decided to pardon General Nathusius.

[Note.—General Nathusius was tried on charges of theft from a house which he occupied during the German invasion, and sentenced to imprisonment. Strong German resentment was manifested, and it was pointed out that the political effects would be disastrous if the sentence was carried out.]

NINE LIONS POISONED.

CAPE TOWN, Tuesday.

A sensation has been caused at Johannesburg by the poisoning of nine lions at the local Zoological Gardens.

A *post-mortem* examination revealed the fact that the lions had died from strychnine poisoning.—(Reuter.)

DISCOVERY OF NEW PLANET CONFIRMED.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
BERLIN, Tuesday.

Professor Baade's announcement that he has discovered a new small planet closer to the earth than Mars is now confirmed by four German observatories and the observatory at Copenhagen.

The planet, which Professor Baade first saw from Bergedorff Observatory, is visible in the constellation of Pegasus, and frequently approaches within thirty-five million kilometres of the earth.

LABOUR UNREST.

BETTER OUTLOOK IN DUBLIN.

A BRIEF STRIKE.

DOCKERS TO HANDLE ALL GOODS.

There was an improvement in the Labour situation in Dublin yesterday.

In the forenoon fifty dockers, members of the Workers' Union of Ireland, refused to handle two skips of biscuits which had been sent to the North Wall by Messrs. W. and R. Jacob, Ltd., for shipment to Glasgow by the Burns-Laird steamer Moorfowl. They left the ship, but ten other dockers, members of the Irish Transport and General Workers' Union, remained at work.

In the afternoon the 50 men returned to duty. We are informed by the management of the Burns-Laird Line that, before resuming work the men agreed:—

(1) That they will handle all traffic offered in and out;

(2) That they will work with the other union men;

(3) That they will not get paid for the time off.

The Moorfowl sailed last night with a full cargo.

Owing to the dispute between the Workers' Union and the Transport Union, Messrs. Jacob and Co. have been seriously handicapped for the past few weeks. Normally they employ about 4,000 hands. There has been no dispute as regards wages or conditions. The firm's carters are members of the Transport Union, and the trouble started when an effort was made to get them to secede from that organisation and to join the Larkinite union. Owing to the activities of the Larkinite section of the dockers, the firm had to put their staff on three-fourths time, which meant a great loss in wages.

This policy of obstruction was in progress yesterday when the members of the Larkin section asserted their common sense and independence, and, as stated, resumed the work.

FULL WAGES AGAIN.

Yesterday afternoon Messrs. Jacob stated that the Workers' Union had decided to accept their goods at the quays, and that their biscuit cases were being loaded for Liverpool. "We hope," they added, "to be able to go on full-time before the end of the week."

On inquiry at the offices of the Irish Transport and General Workers' Union last night, the *Irish Times* was informed that the Larkinite section of the dockers had gone back to work, but not until the employers "demanded that they must ship anything that comes along, and must work with whatever men are working there, no matter to what union they belong; and, further, that they should work until they had finished loading the boat without any overtime."

BACK TO OLD UNION.

The National Executive Council of the Irish Transport and General Workers' Union issued the following statement yesterday afternoon:—

"The loading of the second cargo for Messrs. Morgan Mooney and Co., Ltd., was completed this morning by the members of the I.T. and G.W.U. There was no interference with our men by the Larkinite pickets.

"Yesterday and to-day the staffs employed by several firms in the city got into touch with our branches at York street, and requested to be taken back into membership of the I.T. and G.W.U. The railway workers at Inchicore, who were led by Larkin's agents into the recent disastrous struggle there, have returned to their allegiance to our Union. Most of the minority who went over to Larkin at the works of the M. and G.W. Railway, Broadstone, have also rejoined our Railway Branch.

"With reference to the Queen's Theatre, Pearse street, the facts are these: The Queen's Theatre re-opened last night under its new proprietors. When this theatre passed from the old owners to the new it was closed down, and the services of all the old staff were dispensed with in the ordinary course of affairs. For the re-opening most, but not all, of the members of the old staff were re-engaged. Amongst those who were not re-engaged were a number of our members and four of our ex-members, who are understood to be supporters of the Larkin organisation. The new staff is, however, completely trade unionist, and is employed at trade union rates and under trade union conditions. There is no dispute or complaint or grievance on the part of trade unionists with the proprietors or management, and the trade unionists of the city can patronise the Queen's with the same freedom as they do the Gaiety or any other theatre in Dublin."

BARMEN'S THREAT.

There was no change yesterday in the position of the publicans' assistants' dispute, and a strike is threatened unless the employers concede to the demands of the assistants' union by next Tuesday night.

It is believed that an effort will be made in the meantime to obviate a strike, which would seriously affect trade at a busy season.

ALLEGED PICKETERS ARRESTED.

The Queen's Theatre, which opened under new proprietorship on Monday night, again attracted the special attention of a workers' union picket last night, and, as a result, the audiences at both performances were small. Large crowds congregated in the vicinity of the theatre, where a strong force of police was on duty. The picket carried the small scrolls, with "Strike on here," and were cheered by a section of the crowd. At about 9 o'clock the police arrested six men, who are alleged to have formed the picket, but the crowd remained until the theatre closed. Some of the theatre employés were jeered as they left the building.

ALIEN IMMIGRANTS.

INCREASING NUMBERS CAUSE ALARM.

The British Home Secretary, Sir William Joynson Hicks, replying yesterday to a deputation from the National Citizens' Union, which expressed alarm regarding the number of aliens in the country, especially in relation to employment, crime, and revolutionary propaganda, quoted statistics showing that the number of aliens now was actually less by a few hundreds than in the two previous years, and declared that permissions for admission for employment were only granted in special cases, and sometimes for limited periods. Very great care was, and would be exercised to prevent improper people coming here.

As to the efforts being made in ex-enemy countries to have abolished the visa system, the Home Office regarded that system as a most important barrier, which they hoped would not be thrown down for some years to come. It would need an enormous police force to keep, as was suggested, regular observation upon 272,000 aliens, but they did keep in touch with them. Punishment followed very swiftly upon the discovery of any evasion of the restrictions.

Asked if he favoured the deportation of any alien proved to be connected with any subversive movement, such as Communist alien agitators, the Home Secretary replied that they were on political ground. He was empowered to deport anybody if he thought such action necessary in the interests of the country, but it was a very grave responsibility to be placed on the shoulders of any individual Minister. He would exercise the powers confided in him by the laws when convinced that a proper case had arisen.

WEMBLEY EXHIBITION.

PARTICIPATION OF SOUTH AFRICA ASSURED.

Reuter's Agency learns that the reservation placed by the Union Government on South Africa's participation in the Wembley Exhibition next year has been met by the Exhibition authorities to the satisfaction of the Union, and that, therefore, the opening of the South African Pavilion is now assured.

SHANNON SCHEME.

EXPERTS' REPORT NOT RECEIVED.

It is now many weeks ago since the scheme of Messrs. Siemens for the harnessing of the Shannon was submitted by the Free State Government to four Continental engineers for examination and report. Following the departure of the four experts from Ireland it was believed that they had submitted their report and that the terms of the proposals would be officially communicated to the public immediately.

Yesterday an *Irish Times* representative learnt from the Ministry of Industry and Commerce that the experts have not yet drawn up their report, and that they will arrive in the Free State again early next month, when they will continue their examination of Messrs. Siemens's scheme in conjunction with other proposals for the development of water power resources in the Free State. Some of these other proposals are at present the subjects of private bills.

"The fact," said an official, "that Messrs. Siemens have submitted a scheme does not preclude the consideration of other proposals."

A question as to whether the four experts might not have prepared their report of Messrs. Siemens's proposals alone by the date of their return to Ireland elicited the information that it was not improbable that the report on the German scheme would be ready for submission to the Government early in December, but the other proposals remained to be taken into consideration.

FREE STATE REVENUE.

EXPENDITURE SMALL.

Free State revenue last week showed a fall of £206,699 from the bumper total of the previous week. The total—£538,315—is, however, well above the average of some previous weeks' receipts. The largest decrease is shown in Excise—£255,000; Income Tax is £14,000 lower, Motor Vehicles £11,000, Estate Duty £16,000, Stamps £13,000, and Land and Sundry £18,550. On the other hand, Customs increased £26,000 and Other Receipts £94,851.

Last week's revenue compares as follows with the previous week:—

	Last Week.	Previous Week.
Customs	£197,000	£171,000
Excise	130,000	385,000
Motor Vehicles	4,000	15,000
Estate Duty	22,000	38,000
Stamps	5,000	18,000
Income Tax	58,000	72,000
Corporation Tax	1,000	1,000
Excess Profits	—	—
Post Office	—	—
Land and Sundry	24,805	43,355
Other Receipts	96,510	1,659
	£538,315	£745,014

The total revenue in the past five weeks was as follows:—

November 22	£538,315
" 15	745,014
" 8	317,312
" 1	451,088
October 25	463,795

EXPENDITURE.

The expenditure during the past week amounted to only £114,458, and this was wholly on behalf of the Central Fund. "Other Receipts" and "Other Issues" being unchanged, the balance of revenue—£423,857—goes to swell the balance in the Exchequer, which on November 22 amounted to £5,350,969.

RECEIPTS AND ISSUES TO DATE.

The total receipts (excluding balances) up to November 22 amounted to £17,573,650, as compared with £22,918,159 in the same period of 1923. The total Issues for the same periods were:—

1924	£15,617,193
1923	£21,670,529

OFFICIAL FIGURES.

The following are the receipts into and issues out of the Exchequer between the 1st April, 1924, and the 22nd November, 1924:—

Revenue and other Receipts.	Total Receipts into the Exchequer from April 1, 1924, to Nov. 22, 1924.	April 1, 1923, to Nov. 24, 1923.
REVENUE.	£	£
Customs	5,033,000	5,199,000
Excise	5,225,000	6,810,000
Motor Vehicle Duties	191,500	189,000
Estate, etc., Duties	476,000	619,000
Stamps	264,000	297,000
Property and Income Tax (including Super Tax and Mineral Rights Duty)	3,075,000	2,630,000
Corporation Profits Tax	123,000	301,000
Excess Profits Tax	2,000	36,000
Post Office	1,000,000	950,000
Miscellaneous—		
Receipts on account of Land Purchase Annuities and Sundry Loans	514,146	1,529,895
Other Receipts	746,504	840,264
Total Revenue	16,650,150	19,401,159
OTHER RECEIPTS.		
Repayment of Temporary Advances—		
Under the Unemployment Insurance Acts	20,000	—
Money raised by Creation of Debt—		
By Irish Free State Bills	—	1,714,000
By Savings Certificates	216,500	348,000
Ways & Means Advances—		
By Public Departments	687,000	1,455,000
Total Receipts	17,573,650	22,918,159
Balance in Exchequer on April 1, 1924, and April 1, 1923	3,394,512	197,112
Total	20,968,162	23,115,271

Expenditure and other Issues.	Total Issues out of the Exchequer to meet payments from April 1, 1924, to Nov. 22, 1924.	April 1, 1923, to Nov. 24, 1923.
EXPENDITURE.	£	£
Central Fund Services	1,414,873	502,679
Supply Services	13,107,520	20,937,350
Total Expenditure	14,522,393	21,440,029
OTHER ISSUES.		
Temporary Advances—		
Under the Unemployment Insurance Acts	104,000	227,000
Savings Certificates paid off	56,800	3,500
Irish Free State Bills paid off	814,000	—
Ways and Means Advances Repaid—		
Public Departments	120,000	—
Total Issues	15,617,193	21,670,529
Balance in Exchequer on November 22, 1924, and November 24, 1923	5,350,969	1,444,742
Total	20,968,162	23,115,271

BRITISH REVENUE RETURNS.

RECEIPTS.

	Estimate for 1924-1925.	April 1, 1924, to Nov. 22, 1924.
	£	£
Customs	101,800,000	64,704,000
Excise	135,900,000	87,939,000
Motor Vehicle Duties	15,600,000	4,965,000
Estate, etc., Duties	56,000,000	39,280,000
Stamps	21,000,000	12,260,000
Land Tax, etc.	1,250,000	680,000
Income Tax	265,000,000	124,443,000
Super Tax	61,000,000	27,760,000
Excess Profits Duty	8,000,000	
Corporation Profits Tax	20,000,000	11,050,000
Post Office	53,500,000	35,500,000
Crown Lands	900,000	630,000
Interest on Loans	12,250,000	8,578,642
Miscellaneous—		
Ordinary Receipts	11,850,000	8,170,048
Special Receipts	30,000,000	19,457,837
Total	794,050,000	445,417,527

EXPENDITURE.

	Estimate for 1924-1925.	April 1, 1924, to Nov. 22, 1924.
National Debt Services	350,000,000	218,924,429
Road Fund	15,000,000	4,364,044
Payments to Local Taxation	13,150,000	6,837,881
Payments to Northern Ireland	3,500,000	2,977,736
Land Settlement	750,000	360,649
Other Consolidated Fund Services	2,440,000	1,629,061
Supply Services	405,186,000	237,208,398
Total	790,026,000	472,302,207

CHARLIE CHAPLIN'S 5 A.M. MARRIAGE.

NOGALES, ARIZONA, Tuesday.

Charlie Chaplin and Miss Lita Grey were secretly married at five o'clock this morning at Empalme, Mexico. The bride's mother and grandmother were present at the ceremony, which was performed by Judge Antonio Paro.—(Reuter.)

IRISH POWER SCHEMES.

LIFFEY BILLS BEFORE COMMITTEE.

LINKING-UP WITH THE SHANNON.

ALTERNATIVE TO THE SIEMENS PLAN.

Three private bills concerned with Liffey hydro-electric schemes have been referred by both Houses of the Oireachtas to a Joint Committee, and yesterday morning the Committee, which is sitting in the Committee Room of the Senate, in the National Museum building, began examination of these measures.

Since it is in the nature of these projects that a monopoly must be given to one set of promoters, the Committee must hear the merits of all three schemes before deciding which, if any of them, shall be considered further.

At the close of the sitting Dr. Crowley disclosed the fact that the promoters of the East Leinster Electricity Supply Bill had put forward an alternative to Messrs. Siemens's scheme, and this was now in the hands of the Government.

THE THREE SCHEMES.

BIG INITIAL EXPENSES.

The bills are:—

(1) The East Leinster Electricty Supply Bill, the promoters of which include Mr. James W. Hill, Senator James Moran, the Right Hon. James MacMahon, Mr. David Frame, Mr. J. L. Stirling, Senator Nesbitt, Mr. William Findlater, and Mr. David Barry.

(2) The Dublin Electricity Supply Bill, promoted by Sir John Purser Griffith, Mr. Alfred Delap, Mr. G. Marshall Harriss, and others.

(3) The Dublin and District Electricity Supply Bill, promoted by Dublin Corporation.

It is estimated that the preparation of these schemes and their presentation to the Private Bills Committee, has cost more than £25,000, in addition to the sum of £50,000 which the promoters have had to lodge with the Ministry of Finance.

POULAPHOUCA RESERVOIR.

The creation of a vast reservoir above Poulaphouca is a feature common to all three schemes, but the projects differ in regard to the establishment of generating stations for the utilisation of the water so stored, and in regard to supplementary damming.

Senator S. L. Brown, K.C., is Chairman of the Joint Committee, and the other members present yesterday were Snators Sir Nugent Everard, Barrington and Irwin, and Messrs. Heffernan, P. Hogan (Clare), and Hennessy, members of the Dail. Mr. Peter Hughes had also been appointed to the committee, but has since been appointed a member of the Executive Council of the Government.

There was a large array of counsel and Parliamentary agents, and the attendance included the many distinguished engineers who have been concerned in the various schemes, and members of the Water-Power Resources Sub-Committee for Ireland, whose investigations and report gave an impetus to projects for the derivation of electrical energy on a large scale from the water-power of the River Liffey.

A peculiar feature of the situation in connection with these bills is that, while they are before the Joint Committee, the Government has under consideration a proposal put forward by the Siemens-Schuckertwerke, of Germany, for the supply of electricity to the whole Free State area, including, of course, Dublin and district, from works based on the River Shannon.

EAST LEINSTER BILL.

The East Leinster Bill, which was the first to be lodged in the Private Bill Office, was taken up first. The case for it was not concluded yesterday, and it is plain that consideration of the preambles of the bills will occupy many days.

Mr. W. M. Jellett, K.C.; Mr. Albert Wood, K.C., and Mr. E. J. Kelly appear as counsel for the East Leinster promoters. They are instructed by the Parliamentary agents, Messrs. Sheridan and Kenny, Dublin.

Mr. Jellett, presenting the arguments for the establishment of a Liffey hydro-electric supply, said that the amount of imported coal was 4½ million tons, and the amount of coal produced in Ireland was about 8,000 tons. The cost of coal had in recent years shown a tendency to increase. It had been established as a result of expert examination that the supply of electricity derived from Liffey water-power was feasible and in the interest of the community. The first suggestion to utilise the Liffey was put forward in 1902 by Mr. Tatlow in a paper read before a professional society in Dublin. Some years later the Dublin and Lucan Electric Tramway Company prepared a scheme. Everybody seemed to be agreed that the ideal site for a dam was at Poulaphouca gorge.

Development of the Liffey, he said, was a vital link in the national development of water-power resources which the promoters had in view. The heaviest "load" in the Free State was that which was obtained in Dublin and its surroundings; and rather than to start with the Shannon, it would be better to start with a scheme which would supply a large body of consumers and meet a large demand.

FORTY MILLION UNITS.

Counsel went on to describe the immediate proposal in the bill. The scheme was to have a reservoir above Poulaphouca gorge held up by a dam about 160 feet in width and 89 feet in height. It was proposed to utilise the power developed from that stored-up water by means of a power house a little above Ballymore Eustace, to which the water would be conveyed through an aqueduct, the distance being about a mile and a quarter. From the height of the reservoir at Poulaphouca to the discharge at the turbine the fall or "head" was 211 feet. The aqueduct would take a course almost direct, whereas the river made a loop between those points.

Near Leixlip there would be a supplemental power house, which would be utilised to meet the diurnal fluctuations of the load, and make a second use of the water that came down from the upper station. At the upper station the estimated generation of electricity would be equivalent to 39,400,000 units in a dry year and 45,200,000 units in most years. At the Leixlip station the estimated generation was 17,400,000 units in a dry year and 20,700,000 units in most years.

"THE GAS BILL CLAUSE."

Having stated that the finance of the scheme was secure, counsel dealt with clauses of the bill which put obligations on the company to supply electricity to every "authorised undertaker" in the district—that is to say, to every authority which has powers at present to supply and distribute electric current—and to lighting authorities, as well as other customers in parts of the district where there was at present no "authorised undertaker." The company would be obliged to supply such authorities and persons at prices over which the Ministry of Industry and Commerce would have control. Maximum prices were set out in the schedules to the bill, and those rates could be modified by contract or by order of the Ministry made after inquiry at the instance of any authority, or of twenty consumers. Counsel also referred to the clause which prevented the company from raising its dividend, except after a stated reduction of charges.

The Chairman—The usual Gas Bill clause.

Mr. Jellett—Yes.

Continuing, counsel said that the capital was stated at £1,200,000, which might be raised to £1,500,000 with the consent of the Ministry. Evidence would be given that the proposed works would be carried out for that money.

The Board of Directors would consist of elected directors, numbering not fewer than five and not more than seven, and five appointed directors—appointed by the Ministry, two to represent railway and tramway undertakings which had agreed to take the company's supply, and three to represent councils. Another clause stated the right of the State

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LATE NEWS.

GERMAN SHIPPING DEMANDS.

RATE WAR EXPECTED.

The Times Shipping Correspondent writes: The news telegraphed by the Correspondent of *The Times* in Berlin of the breakdown of the International Conference on South American Shipping Services was much discussed in London shipping circles yesterday. The point on which most attention was focused was the indication that the breakdown of the Conference was due to the stiff attitude of the German representatives. It is understood that attempts were made among the shipping representatives of the various countries interested in the South American trade to agree upon passage rates and the proportions of the earnings that should be allotted to the various companies under a pooling arrangement. Possibly the fact that the Conference was being held in Berlin encouraged the German representatives to present demands which the officials of the companies of other nations were not prepared to accept. It seems that the Germans demanded the largest share of the passenger trade, which is chiefly between Spain, Portugal and South America.

It is to be presumed that in adopting a somewhat lofty tone the Germans were encouraged by contemplation of the large ships which they have lately built for the trade. A severe rate war is, according to the message from Berlin, to be expected within a few months. Rate wars cost a great deal of money, and the most interesting question arises as to whence the money will come which the Germans will need for carrying on the fight they have in view.

NOTE TO RUSSIA.

SOVIET GOVERNMENT PREPARING REPLY.

MOSCOW, Tuesday.

It is announced by the Rosta Agency that the British Note to Russia regarding the Zinovieff letter was made public to-day. The answer of the Soviet Government is under consideration, and may be expected immediately.—(Reuter.)

THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR.

PROBLEMS FOR SOLUTION.

The Times in a leading article upon the Ministry of Labour, which was created in 1917 as a concession to organised Labour, observes:—Sir Arthur Steel Maitland will be responsible not only for the administration of the largest and most complete scheme of unemployment insurance in the world, for a national system of employment exchanges, the Trade Board Acts and the conciliation machinery which formed the original nucleus of the new Ministry, but also for advising the Cabinet on the many difficult questions of wages, employment and conditions which the war and the post-war trade depression have raised. He brings to the task a training in the methods of scientific research into social problems and an experience of administering a large industrial firm that none of his too numerous predecessors had when they took office. What he has still to prove is that he possesses the breadth of vision, the sympathy, the power to carry conviction that he is sincere and the capacity for self-effacement which are required in a Minister of Labour. His chief difficulty is likely to be that the powers of the Ministry are not, and never can be, sufficient to solve problems with which his energetic mind will be confronted.

Proceeding to deal with the two great problems that confront the new Minister—unemployment and industrial peace—*The Times* remarks in regard to the former:—The revival of trade, which is the only economical remedy for unemployment, can be affected only indirectly by the department over which Sir Arthur Steel Maitland presides. The second problem that faces the new Minister, the problem of industrial peace, is equally affected by the abnormal influence of the war, and has equally baffled his predecessors. Before the war the task of wage adjustment was merely the adjustment of particular rates to gradual changes within a stable and well-understood system of rates. The war dislocated this system and upset normal relations. The post-war boom and slump did nothing to restore them, and it is hard to-day to say what is to be taken as normal. For this problem, as for the other, there is no "positive" remedy waiting to be applied. Patience and clear thinking, the independent ascertainment and presentation of the relevant facts in each dispute, and the inculcation of a spirit of forbearance in all parties will lessen the amount and mitigate the severity of industrial strife.

NEW COAL SEAM.

DISCOVERY NEAR LEEDS.

The Times says:—Coal has been struck at a depth of 260 feet at a new shaft sunk at Barnbow, near Leeds. The coal is good Beeston seam, quite 5 feet 8 inches in thickness, and of excellent quality—probably the best house coal in Yorkshire. The upcast shaft is to be sunk with all possible speed, and it is expected that within the first six months of the new year about 350 miners will be employed. This is good news for miners in the locality, who have not been so busy of late. The site of the new pit is where the Barnbow munitions factory was erected during the war, and it is stated that full employment will be found there for a large number of men for fifty years. Big developments are expected. As the coal is of the highest quality, it will find a ready market. The nearness of the new colliery to the Leeds City boundary will result in haulage costs being reduced to a *minimum* so far as the city and residential districts are concerned. The new pit is regarded as the most valuable acquisition to the Garforth Collieries, Ltd.

EGYPTIAN POLICY.

A REPLY TO FOREIGN CRITICS.

The British people can fairly ask their friendly critics in France and the United States to put themselves in their place, remarks the *Daily Express*, and to ask themselves what they would have done if they had been driven into the Egyptian dilemma in any of their own spheres of responsibility.

A great civilised and civilising Power like France, and a great civilised and civilising nation like the United States, would, in a like juncture, do what we are doing. In fact, they have in similar circumstances in the past done what we are doing, and in similar circumstances they would do it again. Duty is not always easy or agreeable. That is the characteristic of duty. The fact that we dislike it does not absolve us from the need of doing it resolutely.

BIG ADVANCE IN EGYPTIAN TRIBUTE STOCK.

CAIRO, Tuesday.

A further recovery took place in the Stock Market to-day, and practically all quotations have risen. The Unified Stock closed ⅛ higher at 73½, while Egyptian Tribute Bonds advanced sensationally from 53 to 57½.—(Reuter.)

PRINCESS BORGHESE DROWNED.

MILAN, Tuesday.

Princess Borghese, wife of Prince Borghese, who drove an Itala motor car from Peking to Paris in 1906, while planting some flowers in her garden at Isola Del Garda, at a point overlooking the lake, fell into the lake and was drowned.

Donna Anna Maria, Princess Borghese, who was the only daughter of Don Gaetano de Ferrari, was born in 1874, and was well known in London.—*Times* telegram.

SOUTH AFRICAN EARTHQUAKE.

JOHANNESBURG, Tuesday.

The Waterburg district was violently shaken by an earthquake early this morning. The shock, which lasted two minutes, caused great alarm at Warmbaths. It was also felt at Nylstroom and Potgietersrust. The natives in the country districts were panic-stricken. No serious damage has been caused.—*Times* telegram.

THE CARDINAL'S FUNERAL.

IMPRESSIVE SERVICE IN ARMAGH.

ALL CHURCHES REPRESENTED.

THE BRITISH ARMY'S TRIBUTE.

FROM OUR OWN REPORTER.
ARMAGH, Tuesday.

The remains of Cardinal Logue, Roman Catholic Archbishop of Armagh and Primate of All Ireland, were buried in St. Patrick's Cemetery, after Office and Solemn Requiem Mass in the cathedral here to-day.

Not within living memory has so vast a throng done honour to the memory of a great Irish Churchman. Four archbishops, twenty-three bishops, five hundred and twenty priests took part in the religious ceremonies, and the congregation in St. Patrick's Cathedral numbered upwards of three thousand. Many who could not obtain admission waited reverently in the grounds outside or knelt on the stone steps that spring in flights from the ground level to the summit of the hill where the cathedral stands.

All creeds, all classes were included in the crowds alike in the church grounds and in the city. One aged observer said that nothing like to-day's assemblage had been seen in Ireland since O'Connell's funeral. The city was in mourning; flags floated at half-mast, and all business was suspended. The day was cold and raw, and there were sleet-like showers. Yet the patient thousands in the open stood for hours to see the funeral train pass by. The Royal Ulster Constabulary had made excellent arrangements, but so well ordered was the crowd that these appeared to be almost unnecessary. The prevailing note was one of sorrow and affectionate remembrance.

IN THE CATHEDRAL.

By half-past ten o'clock the whole Cathedral, apart from the space reserved for the Hierarchy and the clergy, had been filled. Behind the seats in the nave sat representative men from Southern and from Northern Ireland. They included the Governor-General of the Irish Free State, Mr. T. M. Healy, with his A.D.C., Commandant J. Guilfoyle; Mr. Kevin O'Higgins, Vice-President of the Executive Council; Mr. Desmond Fitzgerald, Minister for External Affairs; Mr. Peter Hughes, Minister for Defence; Mr. E. J. Duggan, Parliamentary Secretary; Mr. Dermot O'Hegarty, Secretary to the Executive Council, and Mr. John O'Byrne, Attorney-General, representing the Free State Government.

The Government of Northern Ireland was represented by Mr. Vincent H. Coyle, of the Ministry of Agriculture.

To the strains of the Dead March in Saul, played on the Cathedral organ by Mr. T. W. Holden, Mus.Bac., the procession of clergy entered by the east door, and passed up the nave. It was headed by the Very Rev. Canon McDonald, Portadown, carrying the Cathedral Cross. After him came the clergy, secular and regular, and the prelates, with the new Primate, the Most Rev. Dr. O'Donnell. The priests went into the pews on either side, and the bishops into the sanctuary.

The plain oak coffin containing the body of the Cardinal rested on a catafalque in front of the high altar. On the coffin were the Cardinal's hat and the episcopal crozier.

THE PROCESSION.

The Archbishops and Bishops in the procession entering the Cathedral were:—The Archbishop of Armagh and Primate of All-Ireland, the Archbishop of Dublin, the Archbishop of Tuam, the Archbishop of Cashel, Most Rev. Dr. Gaughran, Meath; Most Rev. Dr. Hoare, Ardagh and Clonmacnoise; Most Rev. Dr. Mulhern, Dromore; Most Rev. Dr. Hackett, Waterford and Lismore; Most Rev. Dr. Keane, Limerick; Most Rev. Dr. Fogarty, Killaloe; Most Rev. Dr. O'Doherty, Galway and Kilmacduagh; Most Rev. Dr. Foley, Kildare and Leighlin; Most Rev. Dr. McKenna, Clogher; Most Rev. Dr. Cohalan, Cork; Most Rev. Dr. Codd, Ferns; Most Rev. Dr. McRory, Down and Connor; Most Rev. Dr. Morrisroe, Achonry; Most Rev. Dr. Naughton, Killala; Most Rev. Dr. O'Sullivan, Kerry; Most Rev. Dr. Browne, Cloyne; Most Rev. Dr. McHugh, Derry; Most Rev. Dr. McNeely, Raphoe; Most Rev. Dr. Finnegan, Kilmore; Most Rev. Dr. Duignan, Clonfert; Most Rev. Dr. Doorly, Coadjutor, Elphin; Most Rev. Dr. Cotter, Portsmouth; Most Rev. Dr. Gogarty, East Africa; and the Lords Abbot of Roscrea and Mount Melleray.

When the clergy had taken their places, the Office for the Dead was sung, the chanters being the Rev. C. O'Neill, C.C., Mell, and the Rev. Peter Rogers, S.T.L., Dunleer. At the Pontifical Requiem Mass, which followed, the celebrant was the Most Rev. Dr. McRory; the deacon, the Very Rev. Canon Sheeran, Crossmaglen; and the sub-deacon, the Very Rev. Canon McDonald, Portadown. The masters of ceremonies were the Rev. F. Archer, C.M., St. Patrick's College, Armagh, and the Rev. E. O'Callaghan, C.C., Armagh. The Mass, sung by the Cathedral choir, under the conductorship of Mr. T. W. Holden, was the Vatican Plain Chant Requiem.

After the Mass the four Archbishops, with the celebrating prelate, moving around the catafalque, each pronounced the Absolution, and the responses were given by the choir. The coffin, borne by clergy of the archdiocese, was carried down the nave to the east door, outside of which it was placed in a four-horsed hearse. Thence the funeral procession moved off to the place of burial. It was headed by the cross-bearer, after whom marched about a thousand schoolboys, and members of the various parochial organisations, including many of the Pioneers.

The surpliced clergy, walking two and two, and chanting the "*Miserere*," preceded the hearse. They included the pastors and curates of almost every parish in the archdiocese, and priests, secular and regular, from all over Ireland. Dublin City was represented by such well-known priests as Father Flanagan, of the Pro-Cathedral; Canon Monahan, St. Audeon's, and Father McCarthy, of St. Paul's, Arran quay. The heads of Clongowes Wood, Castleknock, Belvedere, and All Hallows Colleges were present, as was the Rev. J. R. McMahon, representing the Jesuits at Milltown Park. The Rev. Brother Hennessy, Superior-General of the Christian Brothers, and members of his executive staff, also walked in the procession. Other well-known priests included the Rev. Father Brennan, of Windgap, Co. Kilkenny, and the Very Rev. Philip O'Doherty, Strabane. The Free State Army Chaplain Service was represented by the Very Rev. Dominick Ryan, G.H.Q., and the Rev. R. J. Casey, Eastern Command.

The Regular Orders of clergy in Ireland were represented by:—The Very Rev. John Fahy, Provincial of the Jesuits; the Very Rev. P. J. E. Byrne, Provincial, Marists; the Very Rev. James Bennett, Provincial, Vincentians; the Very Rev. Father Peter, Provincial, Capuchins; the Very Rev. John Fitzgerald, Provincial, Redemptorists; the Very Rev. Joseph Byrne, Provincial, Holy

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Ghost Fathers; the Very Rev. Dr. Bowen, Provincial, Augustinians; the Very Rev. Malachy Gowan, Passionists; the Very Rev. J. P. Dowling, Vicar-Provincial, Dominicans; the Very Rev. Hubert Quinn, Provincial, Friars Minors; the Very Rev. Father Kelly, Provincial, Calced Carmelites.

After the hearse came the immediate relatives of the late Cardinal. Among them were the Rev. N. O. Fegan, P.P., Castlegar, Galway; Mr. and Mrs. Broderick, Drogheda; Miss Ward, Mr. Kiely.

It was possible to get only a tithe of the names of the general public present.

The Dean of Armagh, who represented the Primate, the Most Rev. Dr. D'Arcy, was accompanied by the Rev. Canon Tichborne, Rector of Armagh.

The Presbyterian Church representatives were the Moderator of the General Assembly, the Right Rev. R. W. Hamilton; Rev. D. Dowling, M.A., Armagh, and some thirty ministers, one of whom was the Rev. T. McKinney, M.A., who came originally from the Cardinal's native parish of Kilmacrenan, Co. Donegal.

The Rev. W. Walton, Armagh, attended on behalf of himself and the Methodist Church.

Others present were:—Free State Senate—Sir Thomas Esmonde, with whom was Lady Esmonde; Messrs. J. J. Parkinson, B. O'Rourke, J. J. McKean, J. McLoughlin, and Thomas Farren (representing the Irish Labour Party).

Dail Eireann—Deputies Baxter, McGoldrick, White and Duffy.

National University of Ireland—Professor Merriman, Vice-Chancellor; Professor Rev. T. A. Finlay, S.J.; Professor Agnes O'Farrelly, Professor P. Semple, Professor Hynes, Mr. F. Wiber, Registrar; Mr. John W. Bacon.

Belfast Corporation—Alderman R. Byrne and Oswald Jameson, Councillors Hopkins, McLarnon, McAleevy, McKeown.

Alderman W. P. Monahan, Mayor, and members of Drogheda Town Council; Mr. T. W. Montgomery, Chairman, and Mr. T. E. Reid, Secretary, Armagh County Council; Mr. Thomas Toal, Chairman, Monaghan County Council; His Honor County Court Judge Green, Circuit Court Judge O'Brien, Sir John Ross of Bladensburg, the Marquis MacSwiney of Mashanaglass and the Marchioness MacSwiney, Sir Thomas C. Macardle, Dundalk; Sir John O'Connell, Dublin; Mr. Thomas J. Marron, Clerk of the Crown and Peace, Armagh; Sir Edward Bellingham and Lady Bellingham, Castlebellingham; Herr G. Von Dehn, German Consul-General for the Irish Free State; Right Hon. James McMahon, P.C.; Mr. Kevin J. Kenny, representing the Dublin Rotary Club; Mr. J. D. Nugent, M.P., National Secretary, and officials of the Ancient Order of Hibernians; Sir Peter O'Connell, M.D., Dublin; Surgeon John S. McArdle, Dublin; Dr. Kerr, Armagh; Mr. P. R. Finegan, Dundalk; Mr. B. Hamill, Dundalk; Mr. T. F. McGahan, Dundalk; Mr. M. Comerford, Dundalk.

Many of the public bodies in the Archdiocese sent official delegations.

ARMY REPRESENTED.

The British Army was represented by two detachments in full uniform, one from the dépôt of the Royal Ulster Rifles, Armagh, and the other from the Inniskilling Fusiliers and the Royal Irish Fusiliers, Omagh. The former were under the command of Captain R. R. Martin, O.B.E., and Lieutenant H. J. Cochrane, M.C., and the Omagh detachment officers were Captain Faris and Lieutenant Walkington.

District Inspector Conran and Head Constable Kennedy represented the Royal Ulster Constabulary.

The following officers in uniform attended officially to represent the Royal Ulster Special Constabulary:—County Commandant Captain C. H. Ensor, O.B.E.; Captain Dickson, Adjt.; Captain Miskimmon, and Mr. Finlay.

As the procession moved through the Cathedral grounds and by the public road to the cemetery the carillon of St. Patrick's played Chopin's *Marche Funebré*. The bells, 39 in number, were rung by Mr. Holden. This is probably the first time in Ireland that such an elaborate carillon has been played.

When the coffin had been lowered into the grave the final Absolution was pronounced by the Most Rev. Dr. O'Donnell, and the ceremonial concluded with the singing of the Benedictus in four-part harmony by a special choir of priests.

THE DOMINICAN CHURCH, NEWBRIDGE.

At 9 o'clock yesterday morning at the Dominican Church, Newbridge, Co. Kildare, Requiem Mass for the late Cardinal Logue was sung by the Very Rev. R. J. Murphy, Prior, assisted by the Rev. P. P. Gogarty as Deacon and the Rev. A. Dempsey as Sub-Deacon. The very large congregation showed how the people appreciated the opportunity of testifying their veneration for the late Cardinal. On Sunday last at all the public Masses in the Church tributes were paid to the personal holiness of the late Cardinal and to his long and devoted work for religion.

BY ZEPPELIN TO THE POLE.

COMMANDER BRUNS'S SCHEME.

CHRISTIANIA, Tuesday.

The German aviator, Commander Bruns, who has elaborated a plan for a Zeppelin expedition to the North Pole, is now staying here as a guest of Dr. Nansen. To-morrow he will present details of his plan to the Norwegian Geographical Society.

According to the newspaper, *Oslo Aptenavis*, Commander Bruns has requested Dr. Nansen to take part in the expedition, and Dr. Nansen has expressed his willingness to do so. Commander Bruns's plan, which was originally published in 1919, aims at the solution of some of the old and baffling riddles of the Arctic, in the course of a four weeks' expedition, by a Zeppelin journey to the Pole. Representatives of all branches of science will take part in the expedition.

It is proposed to build a Zeppelin for landing on openings in the ice, and not on the ice.

A representative of a News Agency here questioned Dr. Nansen with regard to his plans, but the famous explorer declined to make a statement. Dr. Shattum, the President of the Geographical Society, however, has announced that Dr. Nansen told him that it is his intention to participate in the expedition.

Dr. Shattum added that Commander Bruns was known as a very clever aviator, and his plans had been carefully worked out. There would be no competition with Captain Roald Amundsen, as Commander Bruns's expedition would be fitted out for a longer time, and for the purpose of scientific work. It is not yet known when the expedition will start.—(Reuter.)

OPIUM CONFERENCE.

TOTAL SUPPRESSION OF HEROIN?

GENEVA, November 25.

The second Opium Conference is gradually settling down to serious work.

M. Bourgeois, for France, put forward the following proposals:—The reduction of international control to a minimum and the establishment of national control of drugs, which in Great Britain, Holland and France has given good results; the replacing of import certificates by the official advice of export; the deposit of security and Government authorisation; the publishing of centralised statistics and the denunciation of any centre of contraband trade. Evaluations of the import and export of opium would, it was stated, prove unsatisfactory, while too rigid a convention would be dangerous. The countries should furnish import and export figures at the end of each year.

The Polish delegate urged the total suppression of heroin.

AUSTRIAN PRESIDENT.

HERR HAINISCH TO BE RE-ELECTED.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
VIENNA, Tuesday.

President Hainisch will be re-elected President of Austria for the coming term, the Christian Socialist party has decided. The honour was offered to ex-Chancellor Seipel, but he refused, whereupon negotiations with the other two political parties were undertaken. The "Greater Germany" party immediately declared its willingness to vote for President Hainisch's re-election. The Socialists, while declaring that they cannot vote for a *bourgeoise*, have agreed not to oppose M. Hainisch's re-election.

£150,000 BANK CASE.

WITNESS'S £3,000 FEE TO GIVE EVIDENCE.

The action in which Mr. Charles E. Robinson, commission agent, of London, seeks to recover £125,000 from the London City and Midland Bank, the balance of a cheque for £150,000 paid into his account by "Mr. A.," a youthful Eastern potentate, whose name has been kept secret for reasons of State, was continued in the High Court, London, yesterday.

The bank alleged that Mr. Robinson took part in a plot to blackmail "Mr. A." by trapping him in a compromising situation, and that he was assisted in the plot by Mrs. Robinson (36), who met "Mr. A." at the Victory Ball in 1919, and later in Paris.

Other figures in the case are: Mrs. Lilian Bevan, Mrs. Robinson's friend; Montagu Noel Newton (described by Mr. Robinson's counsel as "one of the biggest scoundrels unhung"); an Irish A.D.C. in "Mr. A.'s" suite; and William Cooper Hobbs, managing clerk to Applentons, solicitors, who is alleged to have drawn the £125,000 out of the bank.

Most of yesterday morning was occupied by legal arguments by counsel as to whether there is now a case to go to the jury.

Lord Darling said—I am beginning to think I cannot give a satisfactory judgment on this until certain facts are found. These facts must come before the jury, and, therefore, I must leave the whole case to the jury.

Lord Darling added that counsel could place him in a better position if they would consider what questions he should leave to the jury.

Sir John Simon, for the bank, submitted that there is no issue of negligence.

Lord Halsbury—The negligence is not verifying the signature, and taking a client under these circumstances with no address. It has come out that he had an account in another branch of the same bank.

In answer to counsel's request that he should say whether or not there was any issue of negligence raised on plaintiff's case, Lord Darling said—"I shall tell the jury that, if plaintiff himself, and not T. C. Robinson—a fictitious person—was the customer of the bank, then they owe to him all the obligations which the bank owes to a real customer, and the question of negligence can arise. If he was not their true customer, they owed him no duty whatever."

Sir John Simon, opening the case for the bank, said that there were difficult and complicated questions to settle about the transaction which took place at the Midland Bank. There was also the question as to whether Hobbs really intended to transfer this money out of his own control into the control of somebody else.

"I cannot believe any collection of citizens could have heard this case down to this stage, and fail to reach the conclusion that, whatever Hobbs intended to do with the £150,000, he did not mean it to pass into another's control."

Sir John emphasises that "Mr. A's." position was such that, by the common consent of everybody taking part in the trial, it was decided it would be an intolerable thing if his name were disclosed. Could they conceive a more proper subject for a blackmailer?

Then Sir John Simon intimated that a statement had been taken from Newton by the solicitors acting for the bank. "We ascertained last summer that Newton was a man who was quite prepared to make a statement. We obtained a statement from Newton abroad. That statement is available, and that statement is the basis upon which I have been able to put a number of questions in this case. We got a statement from Newton, and desired to get his evidence on oath in Brussels. The other side objected. I should have objected, too. They said if his evidence was to be given he should appear in court. We conceived it our duty to see whether there were any means of getting Mr. Newton here. Well, Mr. Newton, after some reflection that I have nothing to do with, decided he was prepared to run the risk of coming from abroad to this country if he was promised certain payment. We have promised him that payment. We have promised him £3,000."

Counsel then pointed in silence for a moment to a man sitting before him at the end of the solicitors' seat. "There," he said, "is Mr. Newton. I call him into the box."

A tall military-looking figure, with black hair and a full black moustache, rose, and crossed the court into the witness-box.

Mr. Newton, in the witness box, stated that in November, 1919, he was asked over the telephone to see Mrs. Robinson at her house in Chapel street, where she told him that she had met the A.D.C. with "Mr. A.," and that the latter was a man of wealth. The A.D.C., she said, was very dissatisfied with the way he was treated by "Mr. A." on account of his meanness, and it was suggested that money should be got from "Mr. A." It was suggested that the money should be shared between himself, Mrs. Robinson, her husband, Mrs. Bevan, and the A.D.C.

Witness then described how further details of the plot to entrap "Mr. A." were made at an interview at which the A.D.C. was present. The A.D.C. said that "Mr. A." was a very wealthy man and had £600,000 lying loose in the bank in India and a considerable sum in London.

Witness also discussed the plan with the plaintiff. Witness was to impersonate Mr. Robinson.

Sir John Simon—I want to know from you when any question of solicitors arose and who raised it?

Witness—That was brought about in the first place by the A.D.C., who said: "I shall probably have to provide a solicitor for 'Mr. A.,' and so, therefore, there must be a solicitor acting on the other side." The name of Mr. Hobbs was then mentioned.

Lord Darling—Did you know Mr. Hobbs before that?

Witness—Yes, my lord.

As a solicitor? I would say as an adviser. (Laughter.)

Witness then described his interview with Mr. Hobbs at Wardour street, where a fire had taken place.

"I told Mr. Hobbs the business would be in connection with 'Mr. A.' and that he might make a lot of money for himself. I outlined the scheme, but he did not pay much attention to it," said witness. "He thought it was a fairy story, and he was more interested in the little bit of a fire." (Laughter.)

After witness had replied to two questions in writing, the hearing was adjourned until to-day.

A SOVIET HALL.

STATEMENTS IN CO. LEITRIM CASE.

At the Carrick-on-Shannon Circuit Court a remitted action was heard in which Margaret Gildea, Corlaskagh, sued James Emly, Lisdrumrea, Drumsna, for damages for injuries sustained by the defendant by the action of the plaintiff in claiming the plaintiff's farm as his own, whereby the sale of it was rendered abortive.

Mr. Pinkman, B.A., auctioneer; James and John Gildea, James Mahon, and William Kilcran gave evidence that at the auction in July last the defendant attended and bid £50 for it, stating that the farm was his father's and his grandfather's farm.

The auctioneer stated that there was a Soviet Hall in the district, and a Direct Action Committee, and as a result the farm, on which there was a reserve of £350, could not be sold.

The defendant and a number of witnesses denied that there was any claim laid to the farm.

His Honour Judge Devitt gave a decree for £3 10s. and £4 10s. expenses. He was sorry to hear that there was a Soviet Hall in the district, but that was not now before him. This was a free country, and all were entitled to their opinions, but the question of the Soviet Hall might be a matter for the Civic Guard afterwards.

WOMAN'S BODY IN A FURNACE.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
NEW YORK, Tuesday.

Telegrams from Columbus, Ohio, report that the Public Prosecutor has determined upon the exhumation of the body of Mrs. Streatsley, wife of a pastor and University Professor, whose remains were found in the kitchen furnace at her home.

The undertakers, it is reported, have declared that Mrs. Streatsley's skull had been fractured; and this strengthens the theory that she was the victim of foul play, although the local coroner has returned a verdict of suicide.

There is a further report that finger prints of blood have been found on the furnace pipe and also a blood-stained hammer in a closet.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

TAXED FOR LODGERS. — The rents of a hundred new Council houses at Welwyn Garden City are to be so arranged that 6d. a week will be deducted for every child in the family and 1s. added for every lodger.

EX-INSPECTOR SYME. — At Stockwell ex-Inspector Syme was arrested by Scotland Yard detectives. He was formally accused of threatening to take the life of a member of the Royal Family, and placed in the cells for the night.

HAGGIS TO BE ENGLISH.—On Sunday the St. Andrew's Day Association, on behalf of 1,000 Scots folk, will hand the haggis over to English guests at the Savoy, in order that the famous dish be regarded as English henceforward.

TERRIER'S ADVENTURE.—A small terrier attached to the Ullswater Foxhounds was sent to bolt an old dog fox which went to earth at Buckbarrow Borran, and was lost for three days. When dug out he was found badly bitten, but he had fought the fox to death.

THE LATE MR. MORELL.—More than two thousand people attended the Memorial Service for the late Mr. E. D. Morell, M.P., at the Church of St. Martin-in-the-Fields, London, yesterday. Mr. Ramsay Macdonald and many of his colleagues in the late Labour Ministry were present.

METHYLATED SPIRITS AS BEVERAGES. — At Old street Police Court, London, yesterday, Barnet Caplin, of Cable street, Stepney, a Russian, convicted of preparing methylated spirits for use as a beverage named kummel and as cherry brandy, was fined altogether £160, with nine guineas costs.

Breaking into the house of Mr. Alfred Baker, of Highclere road, New Malden, Surrey, early yesterday, a man threatened Mrs. Baker with a knife, gagged her, and tied her arms behind her. He then ransacked the room. Among the things he took were 15 pound notes. The police have circulated a description of the man.

LINE OF LIGHT TO THE COAST.—Slung beneath a huge sausage-shaped balloon at the Croydon Air Station, observers are nightly making observations to test the lighting equipment — searchlights, flashing beacons and fog-piercing lights—of the airway between London and the coast. A regular night air service is due to start next month.

ROUND THE WORLD ON A CYCLE.—Mr. F. J. Devar, Scoutmaster of the 12th Bombay Scout Troop, who is making a world tour on his bicycle, has arrived at Prague from Vienna. He left Bombay in January last, and is proceedings *via* Nuremberg and Paris to London, which he expects to reach at the beginning of January.

BIG JEWEL THEFT.—What is believed to be a London gang successfully burgled the premises of Mr. Weeks, a jeweller, of Elm Grove, Southsea, and got clear with between £500 and £600 worth of watches, rings and bangles. They scaled an eight-foot wall, climbed to the roof and sawed through an iron bar in the skylight window.

FALLING WALL KILLS WORKMAN.—Following the collapse of a high wall in Augusta road, Moseley, yesterday, a Birmingham Corporation workman was found dead among the *debris*. The deceased, Frank Collins, was clock-winder of the automatic gas lighters, and his ladder was broken by the fall. He happened to be passing, and received no warning of the crash.

WARNED BY A DREAM. — Disturbed by a dream, and convinced that something was wrong at the local cinema, where he was an attendant, an elderly Wrexham man dressed and went to the cinema between 3 and 4 a.m. On entering he found a young man busily trying to force open the safe. By the time the old man had summoned a police sergeant the intruder had got away, with money from a box belonging to the charity organisation.

SCOTCH EVICTION RESISTED. — Wild scenes marked the eviction at Cambuslang, near Glasgow, yesterday, of a prominent Communist. The Sheriff's officers and police, using crowbars, forced an entrance, but were met with a fusillade of missiles and drenched with water. Two Communists were arrested. The occupants of the house put up a bold fight, and something akin to a pitched battle ensued.

RICH, AND DID NOT KNOW IT. — Henry Claxton, a London taxi-cab washer, who found a pearl necklace, worth £1,000, carried it about in his pocket for several days, thinking that it was just a string of worthless beads. It was only when he saw a newspaper paragraph, offering a reward of £100 for the return of the necklace, that he realised that his "beads" might be the missing pearls.

GASSED IN A TRUNK.—An antique dealer, named Trewhella was discovered dead in a small wooden chest in a room at the rear of his shop in Melton, near Woodbridge, Suffolk, yesterday. A flexible gas tube had been inserted through the lid of the chest, and the gas had been turned on. Trewhella had been missing for some days, and the discovery was made by men who forced an entrance to the premises.

GHOSTS FROM JAPAN. — Two drawings of ghosts are among the collection of colour prints by the Japanese artist, Hokusai, opened to the public at the British Museum. One depicts a skull-like face, with bared white teeth and large staring eyes, peering over the edge of a bed rail, which is grasped by long, bony hands. The second shows a pale, tragic face, trailing long masses of dank-looking black hair, hovering above the edge of a well.

THE KING AND FELLOW-PHILATELIST.—When the King was about to enter his car at Windsor Park he noticed a disabled Staff-Sergeant—F. W. J. Winter, of Englefield Green—and went to speak to him. Mr. Winter is a stamp collector, and he asked the King if he would like a halfpenny stamp with the watermark placed sideways. The King, on making sure that Mr. Winter had a second copy of the rarity, accepted the gift, and has now sent him a return gift of valuable issues.

MORE WAGES FOR GERMAN RAILWAYMEN.—The Council of Directors of the German Railway Corporation yesterday approved the proposed increase in wages and salaries of employés. The total increase amounts to 125,000,000 gold marks. The total number of employés is now 777,000, as against 693,000 in 1913. Their income for 1925 is estimated at 62 per cent. of the total operating expenses, compared with 50 per cent. of the total operating expenses in 1913.

ADMIRALTY AND A PATENT. — Mrs. Ayrton Gould, daughter of the late Professor Ayrton, appeared before the Royal Commission on Awards to Inventors to prosecute a claim, as executrix of her mother, in respect to searchlight carbons. In 1908, she said, her mother produced a carbon which gave a perfectly steady arc, suitable for searchlight use. During the war the Admiralty searchlight carbons were supplied with carbons of that type, although not bearing the patent mark. Decision will be announced.

Samuel Gompers, leader of the American Federation of Labour since 1881, was yesterday unanimously re-elected President for the coming year.

Enormous quantities of sprats are being taken in Torbay (Devonshire). One boat had in her nets over 1,000 bushels, or 100,000 pounds weight of fish.

The excitement of watching a football match was stated at the inquest yesterday to have contributed to the death of Ernest Duddridge, a discharged soldier, of Bridgwater. Deceased attended the Somerset v. Gloucester match on Saturday, and on returning home collapsed and died immediately.

OBITUARY.

MAJOR HUGH CORBY SAVAGE.

Major Hugh Corby Savage died recently at Johannesburg. The son of the late Mr. James Savage, of Iveagh, Adelaide Park, Belfast, and the Hotel Pelletier, Dublin, he was connected with the Texas Oil Company. He served in South Africa during the Boer War, and in East Africa during the Great War. It was when serving in the latter war that he discovered an oil well, which was afterwards acquired and worked as a very successful enterprise by the Texas Oil Company. Major Savage was invited to join the company's service, and soon rose to the position of manager.

DEATH IN A TRAMCAR.

About 5 o'clock yesterday evening a painful occurrence took place in a tramcar running from Blackpool (Cork) to Douglas, when a middle-aged woman, Mrs. Florence Oakley, of 21 Thomas Davis street, Blackpool, collapsed and died. She boarded the tram car at Watercourse road, and when the car reached the Father Mathew statue in Patrick street she was found in an unconscious condition. She was dead when taken to the infirmary.

JUNIOR EXECUTIVE OFFICERS (MALE).
Open Competition (age 17 and 21).
Exam. announced for January, 1925.
Special Day, Evening and Correspondence Classes working at SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 75 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin.—(Advt.)

DUBLIN AND THE PROVINCES.

LEINSTER.

HEAVY CLAIMS.—The total amount claimed for post-truce damage in County Kildare is £250,000. The claims are now being heard at Naas, and the court expects to be occupied until Christmas. The largest items are those of General Bryan Mahon and Lady Amelia T. C. Mahon for £60,000 for the destruction of Mullaboden House, Ballymore Eustace, in February, 1923, and the Earl and Countess of Mayo for £99,000 for the burning of Palmerstown House. Five hundred claims are to be heard at Kilkenny, beginning on Monday next. The Earl of Desart claims £31,000 for the destruction of his mansion and contents; the representatives of Colonel Tighe £31,000 for the destruction of a building and furniture, and the Earl of Bessborough £101,450 for the destruction of Bessborough House.

FAILED TO STOP AFTER COLLISION.—John Hoolan, Dunkerrin, was fined 10s. at Birr last Monday for colliding, while driving a motor car, with a horse and cart, and failing to stop. The disc of the motor car was knocked off in the collision, and thus the defendant was traced. It was urged for the defence that the people in the cart had been fully compensated. The defendant had been in hospital before the occurrence, suffering from his nerves, and did not at the time appreciate the gravity of his action.

KILKENNY RELIEVING OFFICERS.—The Ministry for Local Government has informed the Kilkenny County Board of Health that it will not remove the suspension of Relieving Officers Hughes, Urlingford, and Dalton, Carrick-on-Suir, and [illegible] the Board formally to dismiss the [illegible] for alleged neglect of duty. The Board decided to declare the positions vacant, and to amalgamate the districts of Urlingford No. 1 and No. 2.

WORK FOR MEATH.—Meath County Council yesterday decided to borrow £20,000 for the relief of unemployment, and to ask the Government to make a grant of a similar sum. A special meeting of the Council will be held to prepare a scheme of road-making, drainage, house construction, and re-afforestation.

SPEED LIMIT IN MEATH.—Meath County Council has fixed a speed limit of twelve miles an hour for all motor vehicles in the towns and villages of Meath.

TURKEYS SCARCE.—Our Tullamore Correspondent says that turkeys are scarce. Owing to high cost of feeding stuffs, people did not engage so extensively as usual in rearing the birds. The price in Tullamore market is 1s. 4d. a pound.

PASSENGERS BY B. AND I. LINE, VIA LIVERPOOL.

Arrivals—F. H. O'Connor, N. Nicholson, P. R. Tennus, J. McPherson, P. Little, R. Egan, J. Crean, S. Taylor, R. Conder, R. Peck, K. Myles, C. Brooks, J. Somerville, H. Neilson, D. B. Moeran, R. Williamson, A. Cope, H. H. Davies, T. P. Faulkes, R. W. Deane, W. L. Todd, Dr. Murray, S. Ellis, J. Hubbert, Surgeon-Lieutenant R. Burns, P. Kelso, R. Copthorne, Miss E. K. Orr.

Departures—Dr. O'Halloran, J. Crean, P. R. Turner, A. B. Brayshaw, R. Groven, J. A. Cope, F. H. O'Connor, P. J. Boyle, J. McKinley, P. Cohen, G. Geoghegan, C. L. Brown, Mrs. O'Connor, the Misses O'Connor, Mr. and Mrs. Baillie, Major and Mrs. Crofton, T. S. Dill, Miss Mansfield.

MUNSTER.

FALL FROM DAMAGED BRIDGE.—Richard Pyne, aged 60, a small farmer, of Inchmore, Ennis, has been found drowned in the Inch River. He was crossing a damaged bridge when he fell into the water. At the inquest the jury said that the bridge should be either repaired or removed.

CLARE COUNTY SCHOLARSHIPS.—Clare Scholarships Committee has recommended that for the year 1925-26 four University Scholarships and fourteen Primary Scholarships shall be awarded, as was done in the previous year.

CLONMEL KENNEL CLUB.—Clonmel Kennel Club at its annual meeting yesterday elected the Earl of Donoughmore as President, and decided to hold a championship dog show and sheep dog trials next year.

SOUTH TIPPERARY FARMERS.—South Tipperary Farmers' Executive has passed resolutions calling on local bodies not to increase salaries between now and the elections, asking that rates in future should be paid through the Post Office, and deciding that farmers' candidates for seats on local boards shall be selected by a Convention, and asked to sign a pledge in the farmers' interests before going forward for election. A resolution was also passed asking the Minister for Agriculture to include a clause in the new bill setting up an Advisory Council in each county to advise as to the breed or breeds of bulls to be maintained in the county.

NORTHERN IRELAND.

SHEEP CROWDED INTO LORRY.—For overcrowding sheep in a lorry James McClelland and Hugh McCullough, farmers, Ballygrainey, Co. Down, were each fined 20s., with 20s. costs, in Belfast yesterday. Mr. J. L. Galway, solicitor, stated that on November 10 he was motoring along the Albertbridge road and saw the sheep in the lorry. Two of them were down. The witness followed the lorry to a saleyard, and the first sheep on being lifted up staggered again. The second on being lifted fell down again. The area of the lorry was forty square feet. For the defence it was contended that there was neither cruelty nor overcrowding. The defendants said that there were 12 lambs and four sheep in the lorry, which had often held twenty. The sheep had so much room that they lay down, and the animals were quite all right at the close of the journey and sold immediately. The representative of the Ulster Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals said that this was a class of offence which was far too common in Belfast and one that the Society wished to put down.

BELFAST SHIPBUILDING.—Messrs. Harland and Wolff, Ltd., are still engaging extra men at the Queen's Island Shipyard, where the outlook is better than it was two months ago. Messrs. Workman, Clark and Co.'s position is not so satisfactory. At the present time the firm has only two steamers on hand in the North Yard and one in the South Yard, with the barges, while the two steamers recently launched will be completed next month.

CENTENARIAN'S FUNERAL. — The funeral of the late William Wilson, who died at his residence at Connor, near Ballymena, on Sunday, at the age of 111 years, took place yesterday in Connor. There was a large attendance of the people of the villages of Connor and Kells and the district. Had Mr. Wilson lived until December 26 he would have celebrated his 112th birthday. A neighbour possesses an old Bible in which the date of Wilson's birth is written.

OVERCROWDED WORKHOUSE.—It was reported to a meeting of the Enniskillen Board of Guardians yesterday that the hospital was "crammed." The Special Constabulary occupy one wing, and the Clerk said that the Government had paid no rent. It was agreed to ask the Government to evacuate that portion of the premises to make room for patients, and also to pay rent.

ABSENT JURORS TO BE FINED.—The Judge at the Belfast City Commission yesterday said that unless there was a better attendance of jurors on the following day he would fine the absentees. It was not enough for jurors to answer their names on the first day of the Commission and not attend subsequently.

M.P.'s ENTERTAINED.—The Prime Minister of Northern Ireland (Sir James Craig, Bart.), the Marquis of Londonderry, K.G., and a number of members of the Imperial and Northern Ireland Parliaments were the guests of the Ulster Reform Club, Belfast, at luncheon yesterday.

NEW BELFAST SCHOOLS.—A special meeting of the Belfast Corporation has been convened for to-day to discuss arrangements to erect the first of the new elementary schools under the Education Act.

The Ministry of Home Affairs has sanctioned the appointment of Mr. Thomas Gregg as master of Enniskillen Workhouse. Mr. Gregg has served for a year on probation.

Messrs. David Mairs, of Deerpark, near Lurgan, and William Archer, of Megaberry, have been appointed to the Commission of the Peace.

THE LATE VERY REV. NICHOLAS POWER.

The Archbishop of Cashel (the Most Rev. Dr. Harty) presided at the Office and High Mass for the late Very Rev. Nicholas Power, P.P., V.G., Fethard, who died in a nursing home in Dublin, whither he had gone for special treatment. Father Power was a native of Gurtnahoe. He had a successful collegiate and missionary course, and was a priest of very high attainments. He first served as curate in Westminster Parish and was curate at Moycarkey for 23 years before his promotion to the pastoral charge of Fethard. He seemed to be in perfect health until he returned from his holidays last August, when he began to fail.

The remains were brought from Dublin by road, and the burial took place in the church grounds immediately after Office and High Mass, at which the celebrant was the Venerable Archdeacon Duggan, P.P., Moycarkey; the Deacon, the Rev. J. Quinlan, C.C., and the Sub-Deacon, the Very Rev. E. Murphy, P.P., New Inn; Archdeacon Cotter, P.P., Tipperary, and Canon Godfrey, P.P., Cappamore, were deacons at the throne.

LONDON THEATRES.

STRAND REVIVAL OF THE "CHAUVE SOURIS."

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
LONDON, Tuesday.

The revival of "La Chauve Souris" for four weeks at the Strand Theatre has been received with the wildest enthusiasm. These Russian artists have an international reputation, and since they left Moscow they have achieved financial, as well as artistic, success in Paris and New York.

Nikita Balieff, the most arresting and amusing of *comperes*, is the bat company's outstanding personality, and the remarks—in execrable English, with the most weird pronunciation imaginable—with which he introduced each artist and sketch were received with roars of laughter. The entertainment includes a series of scenes, duets, and dances, "Love and Hierarchy," "Steuka Razine," and "The King orders the drums to be beaten," were splendid, and a highly original and amusing tragi-comic opera entitled: "The Four Bodies," was one of the best of the new pieces.

The accompanying music, skilfully arranged by Alexis Archangelsky, was quite charming. There is no doubt about the popularity of the "Chauve Souris," they will certainly play to full houses during their return visit to London.

"YOICKS" AT THE KINGSWAY.

An entirely new edition of "Yoicks," Donald Calthrop's jolly revue, was presented at the Kingsway Theatre to-night. New talent in the show was represented in Laura Cowie and Renee Mayer. Miss Cowie and Mr. Donald Calthrop were particularly good in a realistic sketch of the Borgia period, entitled "The Terror." The manager-producer is again very much in evidence, and while his particular brand of humour is not exactly the finest flower of wit and fancy, he, nevertheless, proves himself a capital all-round comedian. Miss Renee Mayer sings charmingly, has personality, and one can hear every word she says, which is unusual in a revue singer. She, however, could usefully be given more to do.

Most of the songs, sketches, and dances are entertaining, and "Yoicks," catering for all tastes, will doubtless take on a new lease of life.

GOVERNMENT CLERK'S DOWNFALL.

At the Belfast City Commission, W. H. Piggott, a temporary clerk in the employment of one of His Majesty's Departments, pleaded guilty to the fraudulent conversion of £30, which he had got in the form of a cheque to lodge to the credit of Mr. S. G. Tallents, the Imperial Secretary.

Defending counsel said that Piggott had a splendid character in the Army, and he ended by being a Captain in the Punjab Cavalry. He was wounded in the course of the war.

Lord Justice Moore sentenced the prisoner to twelve calendar months imprisonment with hard labour, not to be put into execution if, by the next Commission, there was paid £100 as restitution, and the prisoner gave bail, himself in £20, and two sureties in £10 each, to keep the peace for one year.

THEFT FROM SOMERSET HOUSE.

BANK OFFICIAL CHARGED.

At Bow street Police Court yesterday, Victor Allen Worth, bank clerk, and Stanley Graham, bookmaker, both of Richmond, were charged with being concerned together in stealing £850 from Somerset House.

Mr. T. Baker, for the Board of Inland Revenue, explained that it was the custom of the Bank of England to send a senior and a junior clerk to Somerset House to collect money. The junior clerk generally arrived before the senior and began to check the cash while the senior clerk signed for the money. Worth was a servant of the Bank of England, and some time ago was doing that duty as junior clerk.

On Saturday last Worth arrived at Somerset House at 10.30 and made some statement, as a result of which the money was handed to him. Making some excuse he disappeared. A few minutes later the senior clerk arrived, and it was discovered that Worth was not authorised to collect the money.

Speaking in regard to Graham, Mr. Baker said he was not at present in a position to make any sort of statement.

Worth, speaking from the dock, said that Graham knew nothing as to whence the notes which he had given him came.

The prisoners were remanded, and Graham was granted bail.

STRYCHNINE POISONING.

MILLWORKER'S MYSTERIOUS DEATH.

Death from strychnine poisoning was the verdict returned by a Coroner's jury at Castlewellan, County Down, yesterday in the case of a mill worker named John Gilmore, of Ballylough, who died in Annsborough Mill on November 10th.

The evidence showed that on the morning of his death Gilmore left his lodgings for the mill, taking with him tea and sugar in a little box, bread and butter, and milk in a bottle. At lunch hour he called a fellow-worker named George Kelly, and asked him to smell the milk bottle, which was then empty. Kelly found that it had a foul smell like a dirty bottle. Gilmore said, "I took a sup out of it, and it nearly poisoned me." To another worker, Hugh McCartan, Gilmore said that something had got into his milk, and it was burning his throat and stomach. Then his muscles became contracted, and he fell back, and died in about twenty minutes.

Mr. J. H. Tolten, analyst, said that he found strychnine in the stomach, kidneys, and in the milk bottle. He believed that death was due to strychnine poisoning.

Gilmore's landlady, Sarah Murray, said that she purchased the milk on the night before his death, and filled the bottle, and there was no other milk in the house. So far as she knew Gilmore had no poison in the house for vermin.

The foreman, in expressing the sympathy of the jury with the relatives of the deceased, said they were horrified that this tragedy should have taken place in their peaceful district.

OATS FOR WORKING HORSES.

THE IDEAL RATION.

One of the opinions regarding the feeding of horses which has widely prevailed, and which is still held by many, is that oats in liberal proportions are essential to the successful maintenance of road and work horses, especially the former. It has been believed, as has been stated, that this grain imparts to the horse greater nervous activity of life than any other feeding stuff, and when it was announced that "avenine," an alkaloid, had been extracted from oats, this was quickly accepted as an explanation of their peculiar effect. We have given up the avenine, and seem likely to modify our views in other ways, for it is becoming increasingly evident that other grains may be substituted for oats with no detriment to the horse, and with a material saving to his owner.

The following are suggested rations for working horses:—

Light work: 10 lbs. hay, 5 lbs. "Clarendo," 4½ lbs. oats.
Moderate work: 10 lbs. hay, 7 lbs. "Clarendo," 6½ lbs. oats.
Heavy work: 14 lbs. hay, 7 lbs. oats, 7 lbs. "Clarendo."

These rations will be found eminently satisfactory and economical. —(Advt.)

U.S. MARKETS.

STOCKS CLOSED STRONG.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)
NEW YORK, Tuesday.

Stocks opened irregular and weakened, following a decline in American Can, due to the announcement that there will be no stock dividend. The market rallied, however, on buying of United States Steel Common and Investment Railroads, notably Union Pacific and Canadian Pacific, both touching the highest price of the year. The close was strong. Government Bonds firm. Railroad Bonds irregular. The day's sales totalled 1,910,000 shares. Money on call closed firm at 2½ per cent. bid and 2¾ per cent. asked. All business was done at 2½ per cent. Sterling exchange steady. Silver ⅛c. higher for foreign-mined at 69¼. Gold to the value of 3,500,000 dollars has arrived here from Paris.

RAILROAD EARNINGS.

For the month of October—Southern Pacific, gross 25,703,000 dollars; decrease 2,286,000 dollars.

Texas and Pacific, gross 3,373,000 dollars; decrease 1,000 dollars.

Rises—Atchison Topeka and Santa Fe Shares and Southern Railway Shares, 1; Baltimore and Ohio Common and General Electric, ¾; Canadian Pacific, 3¼; Erie First Preferred and Missouri, Kansas and Texas, ⅞; Lehigh Valley Shares, 2⅜; Louisville and Nashville, 1; Norfolk and Western Common, British-American Tobacco Ordinary, and Bethlehem Steel Common, ⅛; Reading Shares, 1⅜; Union Pacific Common, 2⅜, and United States Steel Common, 1⅞.

Falls—Chesapeake and Ohio Common, ⅛; American Smelting and Refining Common, ⅜, and National Lead, 2.

Atchison Topeka New 4 per cent. Bonds advanced 1⅛.

Call Money ...	2b. 2¼a.	2½b. 2¾a.
Exchange on Lon. 60 days sight	4.59⅜	4.59⅜
Do. do Demand Bills	4.62⅜	4.62⅜
Cable Transfers ...	4.62⅝	4.62⅝
Do. Montreal ...	4.62⅝	4.62⅝
Exchange Paris, cable ...	5.29¾	5.29¾

Eng. Parity	Stocks.	Closing Bid Prices. Mon.	Business Done. Tues.
110⅛	U.S. Funded	102¾	102¾
121⅛	Atch., Top., Santa Fe	111⅞	112⅞
100¾	Do. Preference	93¾	93⅞
73⅝	Baltimore and Ohio	69⅜	70
167⅜	Canadian Pacific	151⅞	155⅜
98⅜	Chesapeake Ohio Com.	91⅛	91⅛
19¾	Chic., Mil. & St. Paul	18⅜	17⅞
74	Chicago and N.-West	68⅞	68⅞
33⅛	Erie Shares	31⅝	31⅞
44⅞	Erie 1st Preferred	40¾	41
75⅜	Great Northern Pref.	69⅞	70⅛
122⅜	Illinois Central	113¾	113⅝
77⅛	Lehigh Valley	69⅛	71⅜
113⅝	Louisville & Nashville	104	103
28⅜	Missouri, Kan., & Texas	25⅜	25⅞
33⅜	Missouri Pacific New	31	30⅜
4⅛	Nat. of Mexico 1st Pref.	4½	4½
2⅛	Do. 2nd Pref.	2	2
126⅛	N.Y. Cnl. & Hudson R.	116½	116¾
137⅛	Norfolk and West Com.	127½	127⅞
75⅜	Northern Pacific Com.	69⅝	69⅜
28⅞	Ontario and Western	27	26⅞
50⅞	Pennsylvania Shares	47⅝	47
73⅛	Reading Shares	67	68⅜
38⅞	Do Preferred	36	36¾
81⅜	Southern Railway	74⅞	75⅛
110⅛	Southern Pacific	101⅞	102⅞
48⅛	Texas and Pacific	43⅛	43⅜
162	Union Pacific	147⅞	150
80⅛	Do. Pref.	74⅜	74⅜
23⅝	Wabash Common	21⅜	21⅜
58	Do. Preferred A	53⅞	53⅞
90⅛	American Smelt. and Refining	84⅞	84⅜
41⅛	Anaconda Copper	39⅞	39⅞
27⅞	British-American Tobacco Ord.	25	25
88⅜	Utah Copper	80	80
80⅛	New York Consolidated Gas	74⅞	74⅞
291⅜	General Electric	269	269¾
167⅜	National Lead	157	155
128⅜	United States Steel Common	115⅞	117⅞
131⅛	Do. Pref.	121⅞	121⅞
48⅛	Bethlehem Steel Com. Stock	44⅞	44⅞
—	Silver Commercial Bars	69⅛	69⅛
63⅛	General Motors (New)	58⅞	58⅞
13⅞	Inter. Mer. Marine Com Certs.	12⅞	12⅞
47⅞	Do. Pref. Certs.	44	43⅞
49⅞	Royal Dutch Ordinary	45⅞	45⅞
40⅞	Shell Ordinary	37⅞	37⅞
59⅞	Pan-American Petroleum Ord.	54⅞	54⅞
18⅞	Anglo-American Oil	17⅞	17⅞
21⅞	Snell Union Oil Corp.	19⅞	19⅞
40⅞	U.S. Rubber	37⅞	37⅞
	BONDS.		
98⅞	Atch. Top. New 4% Gen. Mort.	88⅞	89⅞
67⅞	Erie Rail Gen. 4% Lien Bonds	63⅞	63⅞
—	Reading 4 p.c. Mortgage Bonds	93⅞	—
99⅞	Union Pacific 4 p.c. Bonds	92	92
112⅞	U.S. Steel 2nd Mort. 5% Bds.	104⅞	104⅞
122⅞	U.K. 5½ per cent. Bonds, 1929	113⅞	113⅞
118⅞	Do. do. 1937	106⅞	106⅞

*Asked. † Ex div. ‡ Ex interest. § Ex rights.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKETS.

WHEAT weak, 5c. to 3c. lower.

	To-day.	Prev. day
No. 2 Hard Winter, spot ...	169⅞	172⅞
No. 2 Red Winter, spot ...	173	178
No. 2 Mixed Durum, spot ...	167⅞	170⅞
No. 1 Northern Manitoba, spot	183⅞	187⅞

	To-day.	Same day last year.	This season.	Last season.
Receipts—Atlan.	770	1,058	164,989	122,187
Clearances ...	1,156	732	154,313	105,843

(In thousands of bushels.)

Sales for export—30 boatloads.

RYE.—Spot No. 2, 144¼.

BARLEY.—American malting, 97.

MAIZE easy, and 2c. down.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Western No. 2 mixed, spot ...	128⅞	130⅞

	To-day.	Same day last year.	This season.	Last season.
Receipts - Atlan.	14	48	4,659	4,463
Clearances ...	—	—	1,256	1,427

(In thousands of bushels.)

The visible supply of wheat in Canada increased 1,672,000 bushels on the week, and now totals 33,215,000 bushels. According to Bradstreet's report, the visible supply of wheat increased 3,690,000 bushels on the week, and the visible supply of corn East of the Rockies decreased 307,000 bushels on the week.

LARD barely steady, 10 points down to unchanged. Prime Western steam, 15.40; Middle West, 15.00 to 15.10.

FLOUR steady. Spring clears, 100 per cent., 7.00 to 7.50.

FREIGHTS.

Heavy grain to Great Britain, per quarter—3/- to 3/6.

Heavy grain to Continent, per 100lbs.—11c. to 15c.

Cotton—High density to Great Britain, per 100lbs.—35c.

Cotton—Standard bales to Great Britain, per 100lbs.—50c.

RUBBER firm. First latex crepe, 34¼ buyers, 34¾ sellers; smoked ribbed sheets, 34¼ buyers, 34¾ sellers.

PETROLEUM steady.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Mid-Continent Crude ...	1.10	1.10
Standard White in cases ...	16.90	16.90
Standard White in barrels ...	13.50	13.50
Do. Philadelphia ...	13.50	13.50
Pennsylvania crude ...	2.75 2.85	2.75 2.85

COFFEE opened easy at 20 to 38 points reduction owing to easy Brazilian advices, liquidation and Wall street selling. The market recovered and advanced sharply, however, on rumours of an increase in the Brazilian export duty, covering of shorts and buying by New Orleans houses, importers, trade interests and European operators. The market closed firm, 75 to 40 points up on the day. Spot easy, ¼c. lower for Rio No. 7, and ½c. cheaper for Santos No. 4. Rio No. 7, 20¼; Santos No. 4 spot, 25¼. Approximate day's sales—93,000 bags.

Futures—Options—	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Mar.	May	July
To-day ...	18.90	18.75	18.60	17.75	17.00	16.60
Prev. day	18.15	18.00	17.85	17.20	16.60	16.10

SUGAR steady, 3 points to 1 point up. Centrifugal Cuban spot steady and unaltered; 96 test centrifugal Cuban, 6.03. Approximate day's sales—27,000 tons.

Options—	Dec.	Jan.	Mar.	May.	July.
To-day ...	4.15	3.49	3.14	3.20	3.29
Prev. day ...	4.13	3.46	3.11	3.18	3.28

TALLOW steady. Extra loose 10.

COTTONSEED OIL irregular. Prime summer yellow spot, unquoted; prime summer yellow, option December, 10.77; January, 10.72; March, 10.84; May, 11.04.

SHELLAC—T.N. spot, 65¼.

TURPENTINE—Spirits of turpentine, 85; Savannah spirits of turpentine, 78¼.

RESIN—Grade F, 6.25; Grade K, 6.37½; Grade WW, 8.05.

BURLAPS easy. Hessian cloth, light weight, 8.95; heavy weight, 10.60.

METALS—Tin steady and unchanged. Spot, 54.50. Future option, 54.50. Tin Plates, 5.50. Lead steady, 8.82½. Zinc steady, 5 points higher. East St. Louis spot, 6.85. Iron steady. No. 2 American Northern Foundry, 22.00 to 22.50. Electrolytic Copper steady. Spot, 13¾ to 14; futures, 13¾ to 14. Steel—Bessemer rails, 43.

OUTSIDE GRAIN MARKETS.

KANSAS CITY—Wheat easy, 1½c. lower. No. 2 hard winter spot, 151¼.

ST. LOUIS.—Wheat steady and unchanged. No. 2 red winter spot, 168¼.

MINNEAPOLIS—Wheat easy, 2½c. down. No. 1 Northern spring spot, 151¼.

DULUTH—Flaxseed, December, 264¼.

TOLEDO—Cloverseed, December, 19.45.

WINNIPEG—Wheat opened barely steady, ¼c. down, and closed easy, 2⅛c. to 2½c. cheaper. Opening options—December, 162¼. May, 167¼. Closing options—December, 160¼; May, 165¼. Oats easy, 1¼c. cheaper. Closing option—December, 59. Flaxseed, December, 237¼.

Wheat receipts (carlots)	To-day.	Prev. day.
No. 1 Northern ...	196	372
No. 2 Northern ...	209	571
No. 3 Northern ...	239	515
No. 4 Northern ...	285	585
Other grades... ...	406	728
Total ...	1,335	2,771

NEW YORK COTTON.

COTTON opened steady, 3 points lower to 5 points higher. Some advances took place early on buying by trade interests and spot houses, but the market soon reacted and declined under selling by foreign interests, Wall street house and Southern operators, liquidation and bear pressure. The condition of the textile trade continues disappointing. The closing was steady, 24 to 44 points down. Spot quiet at 25 points loss. New Orleans spot 45 points lower.

Spot, middling upland at New York, 24.25.

Spot, middling upland at New Orleans, 24.10.

Receipts—Atlantic ports, 24,000 bales; Gulf, 75,000; Pacific, 2,000; interior towns, 54,000. Exports—Great Britain, 19,000; Continent, 13,000; Japan, 2,000 bales.

New York futures in the last twenty seconds of trading:—November, unquoted; December, lowest 23.74, highest 23.75; January, 23.91, 23.93; February, 24.05, 24.06; March, 24.21, 24.23; April, 24.27, 24.37; May, 24.53, 24.55; June, 24.53, 24.53; July, 24.53, 24.55; August, 24.13, 24.13; September, 23.76, 23.76; October, 23.51, 23.51.

New Orleans futures in last minute of trading:—January, lowest 24.10, highest 24.12; March, 24.19, 24.20.

IRISH POWER SCHEMES.

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to acquire the undertaking after 59 years, on stated terms.

ENGINEER'S EVIDENCE.

Dr. J. F. Crowley, principal of Messrs. Crowley and Partners, of Westminster and Dublin, concerned with the scheme, was the first witness called for the promoters. He described the genesis of Liffey water-power projects, and the investigations made by the Water-Power Resources Committee, appointed by the British Board of Trade in 1918, and the Sub-Committee for Ireland, of which he was Vice-Chairman, which was formed at a later date. He had gone further into the matter on behalf of the promoters of the present scheme, who were then registered as the Liffey Syndicate, and he had come to the conclusion, putting financial with engineering considerations, that the two stations proposed in the East Leinster Scheme were the only two stations which should be considered as economic. He considered the scheme sound from every point of view, and the proposed capital adequate. The amount included the following main heads:—

Cost of works ...	£985,590
Interest during construction	84,000
Brokerage, underwriting and working capital, etc. ...	90,000
Preliminary expenses ...	40,000

The total, in round figures, was £1,200,000. The estimate for financial expenses was now considered over-generous, and it would leave a margin for working expenses.

Dr. Crowley stated that the promoters of this scheme had drawn up and forwarded to the Government a larger scheme, including the Shannon, which, in his opinion, presented a decided advantage over any previous hydro-electric projects. In starting with the Liffey they had borne in mind that 75 per cent. of the total "load" in the Free State lay in Dublin and district. If Dublin and district in the first instance were supplied with cheap power, it would be possible to extend.

COST OF DISTRIBUTION.

In reply to Serjeant Hanna (with whom was Mr. P. O'C. White), for Dublin Corporation, Mr. Crowley said that the estimates did not include provision for distribution. If the Dublin Corporation decided to take the company's supply it could be delivered to the Corporation at any point which might be agreed on as convenient. Dolphin's Barn had been indicated in the plans because that was the site mentioned by an expert appointed by the Corporation, but it was not a final choice.

The present output of electricity by existing suppliers in Dublin and district was calculated at 36 million units, Dr. Crowley said in reply to further questions, and the company's estimated output exceeded that by 20 million units.

The witness was being cross-examined by Mr. A. F. Blood, K.C. (for Kildare County Council), when the Committee adjourned till 10.30 o'clock this morning.

PARIS LIBEL ACTION.

NEWSPAPER MANAGER GOES TO PRISON.

PARIS, Tuesday.

Considerable interest has been taken here in a libel action against M. Franjeat, manager of *Les Continents*, which is edited by M. René Maran, the coloured author of the novel "Betouala," which won the Prix Goncourt in 1921 and created a great stir because of its frank criticism of the French administration of West Africa.

Les Continents published an article which, it was alleged, reflected on the manner in which the coloured deputy for Senegal, M. Diagne, carried out his duties during the war as High Commissioner charged with the recruiting of native troops in West Africa. The article accused M. Diagne of receiving commission on each man enrolled.

M. Diagne took action against the review, citing among witnesses for the prosecution General Gouraud, M. Clemenceau, M. Painleve and M. Maginot. M. Clemenceau, who was not present, sent a letter, in which he said that when he asked M. Diagne to undertake the recruiting of native troops the latter promised 50,000 men in four months. He recruited 70,000. There had never been any question of money, and M. Diagne had even refused the Legion of Honour. He had served the country well.

M. Diagne said that he brought the action not for his own sake, but because of the effect statements such as that made in *Les Continents* might have in French possessions overseas.

Judgment was given to-day for M. Diagne, and the manager of *Les Continents* was sentenced to six months' imprisonment, with the benefit of the First Offenders Act, a fine of 1,500 francs and 2,000 francs damages.—(Reuter.)

"LAUGHTER AND TEARS."

"Laughter and Tears" was the title of an entertaining discourse given last night at 36 Parnell square, Dublin, under the auspices of the Dublin Literary Society, by Canon F. W. O'Connell, who is a well-known figure in Irish literary circles.

Theology supplied much material for laughter and tears, said the lecturer. It was certain that sane people would never have heard of Hell or Heaven were it not for a theological joke. Some straitlaced people considered it wrong to joke about sacred subjects, but it did not at all follow that the person who so jested was more wicked than others.

Closely connected with theology there was death, the most solemn thing in life, and an undoubted cause of many tears. Yet even the King of Terrors had been joked about, and there were many classical examples of men joking on their death beds.

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CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, November 25.

WHEAT opened easy, 1½c. to 1c. lower, and has had a bearish session, under the influence of easy cable advices, larger interior receipts, liquidation of December option, favourable Argentine reports, a disappointing export and outside inquiry, better weather for crop-moving, selling by cash houses, and a poor cash demand. The market closed weak, 3⅛c. to 2⅛c. down. Spot easy.

			To-day	Prev. day.
No. 2 Hard Winter spot ...			155½	158⅞
No. 3 Hard Winter spot ...			—	154⅞
Futures—Opening options—			Dec.	May.
To-day ...			154⅞	162⅞
Prev. day ...			156⅞	162⅞
Futures—Closing options—	Dec.		May	July
To-day ...	152⅞		160⅞	141⅞
Prev. day...	155⅞		163⅞	143⅞

	To-day.	Same day last year	This season	Last season
Receipts (W.)...	2,660	1,314	354,360	217,371

(In thousands of bushels.)

CORN opened easy at ⅜c. reduction, owing to favourable weather, larger interior receipts, and commission house selling. The cash and outside demand was disappointing, and further declines took place in sympathy with wheat, also on predictions of increased receipts and liquidating sales. The market closed easy, 1¼c. to 2c. lower.

		To-day	Prev. day
Spot No. 2 mixed ...		114⅞	113⅞
Futures—Opening options—		Dec.	May
To-day ...		113⅞	120⅞
Prev. day ...		114⅞	121⅞
Futures—Closing options—	Dec.	May	July
To-day ...	112⅞	118⅞	120⅞
Prev. day	114	120⅞	122⅞

	To-day	Same day last year	This season	Last season
Receipts (W.)	1,080	1,273	90,828	92,726

(In thousands of bushels.)

OATS easy at ⅛c. to 1c. fall.

Futures—Closing options—	Dec.	May	July
To-day ...	52⅞	58⅞	56⅞
Prev. day ...	53⅞	58⅞	57⅞

RYE—No. 2, spot, 133¼.

Futures—Closing options—	Dec.	May.
To-day ...	133⅞	137⅞
Prev. day ...	136⅞	139⅞

PROVISIONS opened steady, and prices declined owing to the lower hog market, heavy receipts, selling by commission houses, light liquidation, and in sympathy with the fall on the grain markets. The closing was irregular, with lard 5 points up to 2½ down and ribs 2½ to 5 points higher.

Lard—Closing options	Jan.	Mar.	May.
To-day ...	14.35	14.47½	14.60
Prev. day ...	14.32½	14.42½	14.62½
Ribs—Closing options—	Jan.	Mar.	May.
To-day ...	13.00	—	13.30
Prev. day ...	12.97½	—	13.25

BACON steady and unchanged.

Short ribbed sides (60lbs. average), 13.25.

HOGS easy, 25 to 10 points lower for light descriptions and 10 points down for heavy sorts. Light hogs, 6.75 to 8.60; heavy hogs, 8.90 to 9.30.

	To-day.	Same day last year
Receipts—Western Cities ...	177,000	190,000
Chicago ...	60,000	68,000

The receipts of hogs at 15 principal Western centres, including Chicago, since November 1, total 3,319,000, against 3,596,000 for the same season last year.

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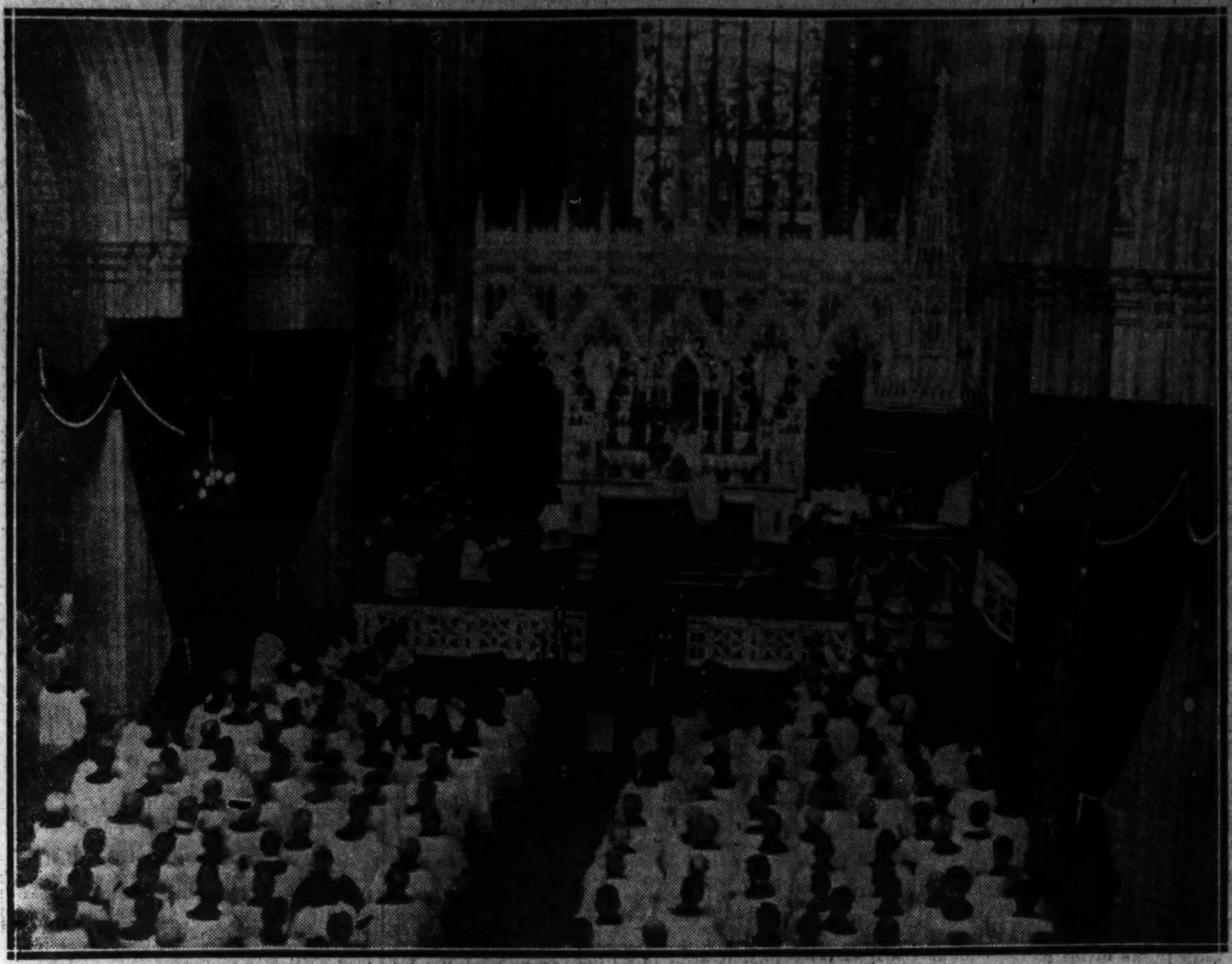
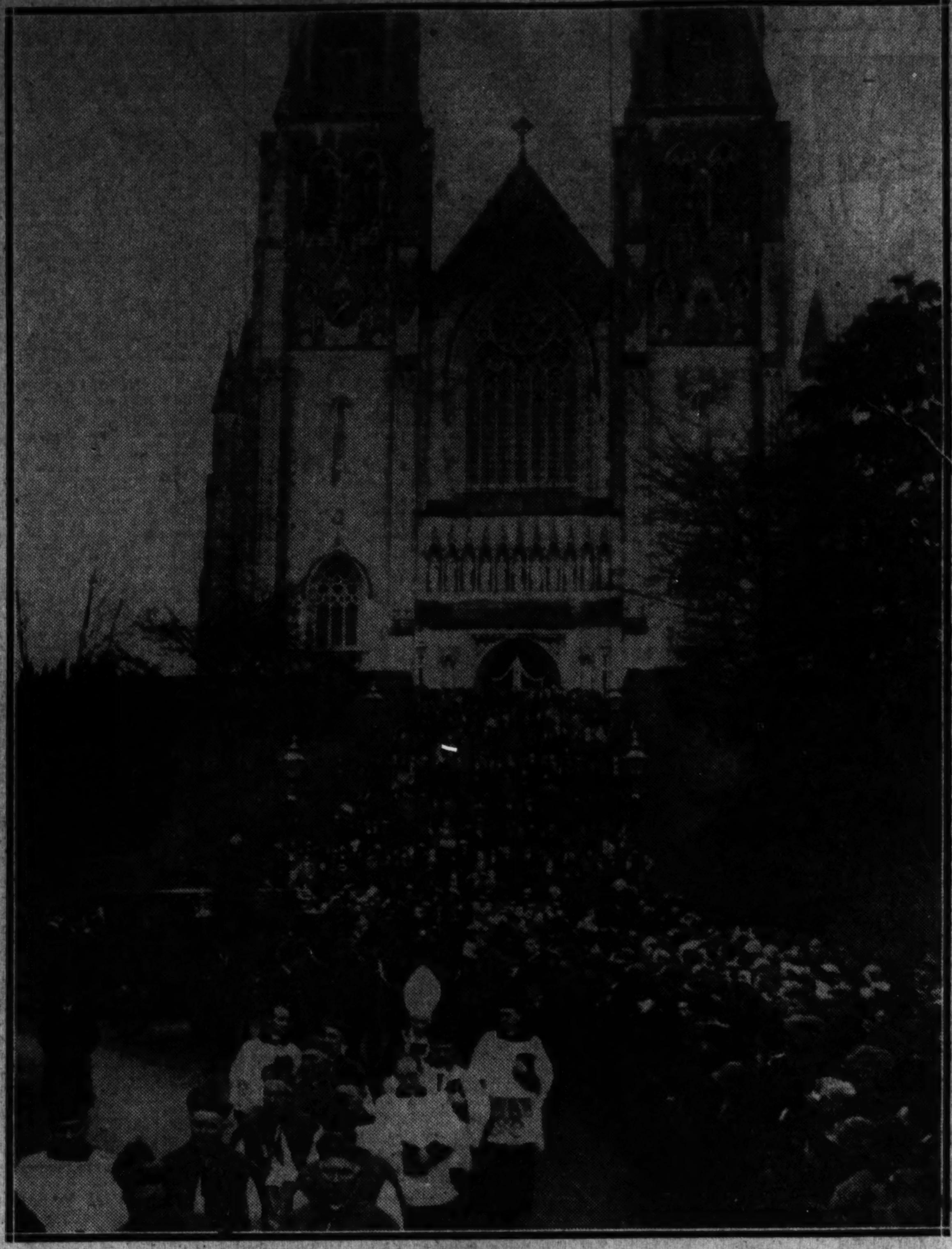

The Solemn Requiem Mass in St. Patrick's Cathedral.


Irish Hierarchy in the Funeral Procession leaving Armagh Cathedral.

The Scene at the Graveside.

Mr. Kevin O'Higgins, Mr. T. M. Healy, the Governor-General; Mr. Desmond Fitzgerald, and Mr. E. J. Duggan, representing the Free State Government.

Dr. O'Donnell, new Archbishop of Armagh.

The Rev. Father Campbell.

Some of the Bishops who attended the Funeral.

The Scene at the Private Bill Committee which is considering the Liffey Electric Power Schemes.

FUH-KIEN MISSION.

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY'S WORK FOR CHINA.

The increase in the extent of the work of the Dublin University Fuh-Kien Mission, as indicated in the annual reports, was, said the Provost of Trinity College, Dublin, presiding yesterday at the annual meeting, remarkable, and he hoped that the meeting would serve to stimulate even greater interest in the mission.

The Rev. A. Sills, who is associated with the work of the mission in Fuh Ning, Kien Ning and Foochow, where their Trinity College Mission was established, gave some idea of its scope. They had not only to build up Christianity, but also to influence non-Christians. By their own moral pressure, without any physical support whatever, these students of China were able to exert considerable influence even in matters of national moment. The one thing that was going to save China was Christianity. Their missionaries had a great and ever-increasing influence, and it was on their teaching that the fate of the State was going to depend. The great present-day need was for young men and women to join in the great crusade for the spread of the word of God.

Mrs. Sills also gave an account of her work in Kien Ning. More specialised work, she said, could be done among the women of China, who had a great deal to do with making the race progressive and amenable to the Christian doctrine. In the primary schools the girls were trained to housework, in addition to receiving the ordinary lessons.

The meeting passed a vote of sympathy to the relatives of the late Miss Edith Thomas, who fell seriously ill in China and died in a London hospital on November 13. For many years she had dedicated herself to the work of the mission, and had endeared herself to those with whom she came into contact.

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ST. COLUMBA'S COLLEGE.

OLD COLUMBAN SOCIETY.

An Old Columban dinner was held on Wednesday, November 19th, at Mills's Hall, Merrion Row, Dublin. The chair was taken by Mr. R. Caulfeild Orpen, F.R.I.A.I. Among those present were the following Fellows of St. Columba's:—The Bishop of Derry, Mr. E. J. Gwynn, F.T.C.D.; the Rev. R. M. Gwynn, F.T.C.D.; Mr. H. Cole Bowen, Mr. C. L. Smith, and also the Rev. C. B. Armstrong, Warden; the Rev. D. W. Walsh, Messrs. C. W. Wilson, F. W. Attwood, W. M. Crofton, W. G. Pontet, George Salmon, Major D. M. Patrickson, Messrs. R. N. Henry, T. S. Magee, C. I. Peacocke, F. G. Stewart, the Rev. G. E. B. Scott, Messrs. R. R. Watthews, D. R. W. Maunsell, A. Pollitt, the present Senior Prefect, L. T. S. Brereton Martin; and the Second Prefect, J. S. Synge, who were the guests of the society.

After the toast to the King had been honoured in the customary way the Chairman proposed the toast of the College. He hoped that in the schools of the future encouragement would be given to the Arts as forming a valuable element in a liberal education.

The Warden, replying on behalf of the College, mentioned curious instances of the persistence with which unwritten traditions of earlier times were preserved among the boys. He referred to the recent achievements of Old Columbans in scholarship and sport. The Old Columban Society had, he believed, fulfilled to a remarkable degree the purposes for which it was founded, by encouraging fellowship and intercourse between old pupils, and their loyalty and interest had been a source of strength to the school.

The toast of the Old Columban Society was proposed by the Bishop of Derry, who spoke of the value of the public school system, and entertained his audience with recollections of his connections with the College. Mr. E. J. Gwynn replied on behalf of the Old Columban Society, and expressed his confidence in the value of the ideals for which the College stood. St. Columba's had, he said, survived great difficulties in the past, and he was confident that there was a great future before the school.

Musical contributions by Dr. Crofton, Mr. R. N. Henry, Mr. W. G. Pontet, and Mr. C. S. Wilson added to the pleasure of a successful reunion.

THE LATE MR. H. DE. F. MONTGOMERY.

The Select Vestry of Fivemiletown, Co. Tyrone, has decided to erect a window in the parish church to the memory of the late Right Hon. H. de Fellenberg Montgomery. A announcement by a committee which has been appointed to make the arrangements appears in our advertisement columns to-day.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

A Mission of Decision and Dedication is being held this week in all the Presbyterian churches of Dublin and suburbs. The missioners, who are mostly ministers from the North of Ireland, have all had much experience in this special work, and the Mission should prove helpful to the local congregations. The meetings begin at 8.0 p.m. Bible readings, conducted by the Rev. Henry Montgomery, D.D., are being held each afternoon at 3.30—to-day in Adelaide road Church, and to-morrow and Friday in 16 Stephen's Green.

CENTRAL EMERGENCY FUND.

The Diocesan, Dublin, Glendalough and Kildare Committees of the Central Emergency Fund of the Church of Ireland met last Monday, when it was reported that there was a credit balance of £682 19s. 6d. The total amount contributed since May, 1923, was £1,419 11s. 8d. Next Sunday is the date for closing the fund, and intending contributors are asked to send their subscriptions by that date either to Canon Lewis Crosby, The Grange, Stillorgan; Professor Thrift, F.T.C.D., 80 Grosvenor square, Rathmines; or to Miss Gaster, The Cottage, Waterloo avenue, North Strand, Dublin.

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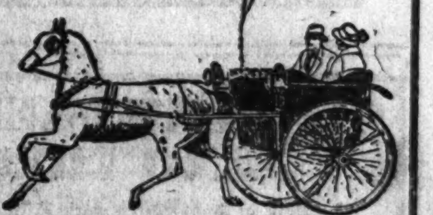

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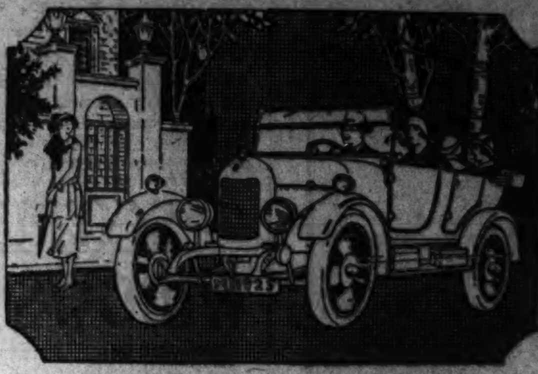

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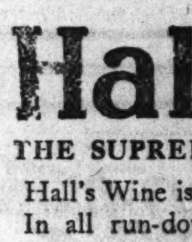

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BIRMINGHAM (5IT)—475 Metres.

3.30-4.30—Orchestra. Roy Henderson (baritone). 5.0-5.30—Women. 5.30-6.45—Children. 7.0—Weather and News. Mr. Hartley Withers. S.B. from London. Local News. 7.30—"A Tale of Old Japan." Gertrude Davies (soprano), Alice Vaughan (contralto), Geoffrey Dams (tenor), James Howell (baritone); the Station Symphony Orchestra and the Walsall Philharmonic Society. 9.30—Weather and News 10.5—The Savoy Bands. 11.0—Close.

BOURNEMOUTH (6BM)—385 Metres.

3.30-5.0—Reginald S. Mount (violin), Thomas E. Illingworth (violoncello), Arthur Marston (at the piano), Betty Thompson (soprano). 5.0-6.30—Children. 6.30-6.45—Station Talk by Bertram Fryer, Station Director. 7.0—Weather and News; Mr. Hartley Withers; S.B. from London; Local News. 7.30—The Wireless Orchestra. 9.30—Weather and News; Local News. 10.5—The Savoy Bands. 11.0—Close.

MANCHESTER (2ZY)—375 Metres.

3.0-3.30—Music. 3.30-4.0—Broadcast for Schools. 4.0-4.30—Ronald Gourley (entertainer at the piano). 4.30-5.0—Women. 5.0-6.0—Children. 7.0—Weather and News; Mr. Hartley Withers; S.B. from London; Local News. 7.30—The "2ZY" Dramatic Company present "A Butterfly on the Wheel," a play in four acts. 10.0—Weather and News; Local News. 10.15—The Savoy Bands. 11.0—Close.

NEWCASTLE (5NO)—400 Metres.

3.45-4.45—The Station Septet. 4.45-5.15—Women. 5.15-6.30—Children. 6.45—Farmers. 7.0—Weather and News. Mr. Hartley Withers. S.B. from London. Local news. 7.30—Mary Jarred (contralto), Frederick Collier (baritone), the Station Orchestra. 9.0—Angus Morrison (pianoforte recital). 9.30—Weather and News. Local News. 10.5—The Savoy Bands. 11.0—Close.

GLASGOW (5SC)—420 Metres.

3.30-4.0—Broadcast to Schools. 4.0-5.15—The Wireless Quartet. Maurice A. Barclay (baritone). 5.15-6.0—Children. 6.0-6.5—Weather for Farmers. 7.0—Weather and News. Mr. Hartley Withers. S.B. from London. Local News. 7.30—D. Millar Craig on "The History of Opera." 7.45—The Station Orchestra. Gertrude Simpson (soprano), Elsie Suddaby (soprano). 9.30—Weather and News. 10.5—The Savoy Bands. 11.0—Close.

LIVERPOOL (6LV)—315 Metres.

3.30-4.30—Orchestra. 5.30-6.15—Children. 7.0-11.0—London Programme.

BELFAST (2BE)—435 Metres.

4.0-5.0—The "2BE" Trio. 5.30-6.15—Children. 7.0—Weather and news. S.B. from London. Mr. Hartley Withers. S.B. from London. Local news. 7.30—Tom Sherlock (baritone); the augmented Station Orchestra. Orchestra: March from "Prince Igor" (Borodin); overture, "Prince Igor" (Borodin); symphonic poem, "In the Steppes of Central Asia" (Borodin). 8.5—Tom Sherlock: "The Sleeping Princess" (Borodin), "The Nerid" (Glazimoff), "Night" (Rimsky-Korsakov). 8.17—Orchestra: Capriccio Espagnol, Op.34 (Rimsky-Korsakov); (1) Alborado, (2) Variazione, (3) Alborado, (4) Scena e Canto Gitano, (5) Fandango Asturiano. 8.35—Tom Sherlock: "Monologue of Boris" ("Boris Goudonov") (Moussorgsky), "Field-Marshal Death" (Moussorgsky). 8.47—Orchestra: Suite, "Les Ruses d'Amour," Op 61 (Glazounov). Introduction, Variation, Sarabanda, La Fricasse. Symphonic Suite, "Antar" (Rimsky-Korsakov), Movement No. 3, "The Enjoyment of Power," "Meditation," March Slave, Op. 31 (Tchaikovsky). 9.30—Weather and news. S.B. from London. Royal Horticultural Society talk. S.B. from London. Mr. Douglas Kennedy. S.B. from London. Local news. 10.5—The Savoy Bands. S.B. from London.

PRODUCE AND FOOD MARKETS.

CATTLE.

SALFORD, Tuesday.—On offer—beasts, 1,450, increase 127; sheep and lambs, 5,936, decrease 472; calves 3. Good well finished beasts again scarce. Irish cattle generally of medium quality; Welsh rough, and lacking in finish. Choice animals brought slightly above last week's rates, but others showed little quotable change. Sheep and lambs opened rather slow, but fair clearance effected at late rates. Best butchers' beasts quoted around 10½d., Irish 9½d., choice light North country sheep 1/4½ to 1/5½, ewes 10d. to 1/-. Welsh lambs 1/6 to 1/7. Cows suitable for dairy purposes numbered 82, and made from £24 to £36 per head.

LEEDS, Tuesday.—Good supplies, following removal of restrictions due to foot-and-mouth disease. Cattle (297) at 8d. to 11d.; sheep (1,183) at 1/- to 1/6½; lambs 1/7 per lb. Pigs (24) at 11/- to 11/6 per stone.

BIRMINGHAM, Tuesday.—Small to fair supply of pigs. Business is fairly active and values firm. Sizeable bacons 17/- per score dead weight, cutters 16/- to 17/-, and sows 11/6.

GRAIN.

DUBLIN CORN EXCHANGE, Tuesday.—As previously reported, it is very difficult to quote prices on this exchange in view of the very limited business passing.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES (THE BALTIC), Tuesday.—WHEAT cargo market firm, and sellers required a slight advance in most instances, but buyers remain somewhat indifferent. No. 1 Northern Manitoba Dec. quoted 68/6, No. 2 hard winter do. 62/-, white Pacific Nov. 62/6, Australian Jan. 65/-, choice white Karachi Dec. 63/9, Rosafe (63½lbs.) Jan.-Feb. 64/-, Barusso ditto 63/-. Parcels quiet, but tendency firmer; No. 1 Northern Manitoba Nov.-Dec. 66/3, Dec.-Jan. sold 67/3. Australian Dec.-Jan. sellers 64/6, choice white Karachi Nov.-Dec. 63/-, and Rosafe (63½lbs.) afloat 63/6 per 480lbs. MAIZE firmly held, but cargoes in generally quiet demand; Plate steamers afloat quoted 43/3 to 43/6, Nov.-Dec. 44/-, Dec.-Jan. 46/9, Jan.-Feb. 47/3. Parcels steadier; Plate Dec.-Jan. sold 44/- to 44/4½, Jan.-Feb. 46/3 per 480lbs. BARLEY quietly steady. Parcels of No. 4 Canadian Western Dec. quoted 39/3, Karachi Dec.-Jan. 42/6; Moroccan Nov.-Dec. 39/- per 320lbs. OATS quiet; Plate f.a.q. afloat quoted 27/-, Jan.-Feb. 26/9, No. 2 Canadian Western Nov. 31/6 per 320lbs.

LIVERPOOL, Tuesday.—Influenced by the higher quotations from Winnipeg and Chicago forward deliveries of WHEAT here showed a liberal advance at the outset, but soon receded, and afterwards fluctuated fairly for some time, as buyers or sellers preponderated; but afternoon cables had an adverse effect, and final rates showed a fair decline from last night. C.i.f. parcels No. 1 Manitoba arrived sold at 64/3, No. 2 hard winter arrived 59/6, afloat 60/-, December 60/9, and No. 1 Duluth December 61/6, January 62/- per quarter. C.i.f. parcels MAIZE, River Plate November-December sold at 43/- to 42/9, December-January 44/1½ to 44/-, January-February 46/1½ per quarter. Wheat on the spot was quiet, but prices generally were 1d. to 2d. per cental over Friday's market rates. MAIZE—Spot parcels, though easier than yesterday for River Plate at 9/1½ per cental, still marked an advance of about 2½d. per cental on Friday's prices. Russian scarce at 10/6, and Bessarabian 10/8 per cental. FLOUR steadily held at late rates, but little business reported. Graded wheat futures opened 1½d. per cental dearer; then gave way, and fluctuated fairly for some time, but weakened towards the close, and finished quiet at ½d. to ¾d. per cental under yesterday's final rates. Maize options, after opening ½d. dearer, eased back, and closed ½d. to 1d. per cental lower on the day.

PROVISIONS.

LIVERPOOL, Tuesday.—IRISH and DANISH BACON is in only moderate demand, and prices favour buyers, latter being further reduced to 106/- to 109/- per cwt. Canadian Wiltshires move but moderately at the recent decline. The market for American bacon here rules somewhat quieter, though holders are generally steady at late rates, the lower prices of live hogs at Chicago appearing to have little effect. Buyers operate more cautiously, but the only quotable change is a slight decline in the value of light weights of Cumberlands, which now offer at 94/- to 101/- per cwt. HAMS rather less active, and short cut now quoted 98/- to 112/-, extra skinned 102/- to 106/- per cwt. Shoulders steady for squares and picnics, the light weights of the latter being now more or less nominal. LARD on the spot partially 6d. per cwt. dearer at 81/6 to 82/- for prime steam, but American refined unchanged at 82/- to 83/6, with only a moderate demand. CHEESE quiet at 6d. to 1/- per cwt. easier; both Canadian and New Zealand now offered at 92/- to 94/- per cwt. BUTTER firm, and, with Danish scarce and nominal, Canadian dearer at 190/- to 194/-, and Australian 194/- to 196/- per cwt. EGGS steady at 28/- to 31/- per 120 for Irish hen.

REFINED LARD "FUTURES."—LIVERPOOL, Tuesday.—The advance in Chicago had already been partly discounted here, but with a fair demand during the early session prices improved 3d. to 9d. per cwt., distant positions being most affected. Sales covered—December at 81/6, January 81/3, March 80/6, May 80/-, 81/-, 80/6, with November quoted 81/9 to 82/3 and cash ex store 82/3 per cwt. sellers. Easier afternoon cables brought about a reaction, and final rates were unchanged to 3d. per cwt. below last night. November sold at 81/6, December 81/-, January 80/6, 80/9, 80/6; March 79/9 to 79/6, May 80/- to 79/9 per cwt. Weekly settlement prices—November 81/6, December 81/-, January 80/9, March and May 79/9 per cwt.

MANCHESTER, Tuesday.—BUTTER—Owing to the very short supplies of butter, Scandinavian and Irish were nominal. New Zealand quoted 212/- to 214/-, and Canadian 194/- to 196/- per cwt. BACON in quiet demand at steady prices. LARD firmer, with English refined quoted 85/-, and American 83/- per cwt. CHEESE—Cheshire finest quiet, with Lancashires in slightly better demand at 1/4 per lb. New Zealand quoted 93/- to 95/-, and Canadian 94/- to 96/-. EGGS—Danish easier at 28/- to 30/6, Irish quoted 26/- to 30/-, and Egyptians 12/- to 12/3 per 120.

DUBLIN VEGETABLE AND FRUIT, Tuesday.—All descriptions of seasonable vegetables were in good supply this morning, and a good trade was put through at following prices:—York cabbage 30/- to 35/- per load, Savoy 40/- to 50/-, Swede turnips 2/- to 2/6 per cwt.; leeks 1/- per bundle, celery 2/6 to 4/6 and 5/-, sprouts 2/3 to 3/- and 4/6 per float, cauliflowers 3/- to 4/9 and 5/- per dozen, white turnips 4d. to 9d. per bunch, thyme 3d. to 6d. per bunch, tomatoes 7½d. to 8½d. per lb., parsley 6d. to 1/- per bunch, 4/3 per bag, carrots 6d. to 1/4 per bunch, beetroot 9d. to 2/- per dozen, parsnips 3/- per bag. Apples realised 2/- to 3/- half bushel, and selected qualities 4/- to 5/6. In the foreign fruit section supply was good, but demand slow; prices ranging as follows:—Jamaica oranges 25/- to 26/- per case, Valencia 300's 16/6 to 18/-, 360's 15/- to 17/-, 504's 17/-, 240's 20/- to 22/-, 714's 30/-, tomatoes 28/- to 32/-, bananas scarce and price nominal; apples, Yorks, 36/-, Bramleys 24/- to 28/- per barrel, Pippins 20/- per box, wine saps 18/-; pears, W. Niles 25/- to 36/- per case, French russet apples 14/- per case, green grapes, 13/- to 20/- per barrel, black 2/- per lb.; dates, Sair 18/-, Tunis 8/6; lemons, Malaga 25/- per case, Palermo 15/- to 28/- per case; onions, 5's and 6's, 14/-, 4's 13/6.

DUBLIN POTATO, Tuesday.—A poor business still doing in potatoes, so that the somewhat limited arrivals are quite sufficient for all requirements at 9/- to 9/6 per cwt., and 10/- Victors.

DUBLIN POULTRY AND GAME (Halston street), Tuesday.—Poultry was in good supply here and sales generally moved quickly, with the exception of geese, which were a very slow trade. Rabbits short of requirements. Prices were as follows:—Best chickens 1/- to 1/2 per lb., large hens 2/- to 2/6, and others 1/6 each; extra large fat ducks, alive 4/- to 5/- each, others 2/6 to 3/- each, old 1/6 to 2/6; fatted geese 10d. to 1/- per lb., coarse or stubble qualities 5/- apiece; best quality turkeys, dead 1/6 per lb., alive 1/4, thin and crooked birds 1/- per lb. Game:—Grouse 2/6 apiece, young partridge 2/- to 3/-, old 1/6, cock pheasants 5/- to 5/6, hens 4/6 to 5/-, hares best quality 2/6 to 3/6 each. Wildfowl:—Wild duck 2/- to 2/6, widgeon 1/-, teal 9d. to 1/-, snipe 8d. or 10d., golden plover 8d. to 10d., green 6d.; best fresh trapped rabbits 1/4 to 1/6 each.

LITTLE GREEN BUTTER AND EGG, Tuesday.—Very limited quantity of good Irish creams now obtainable, and for what offers prices go from 1/11½ to 1/11¾ per lb. Trade is mainly running on Colonial butter, with which our market is fairly well supplied; quality is generally satisfactory, and for finest Australian 1/9½ to 1/10 per lb. is quoted; New Zealand 1/11½ to 1/11¾ per lb.; but there is no Danish butter available just at the moment, as recent production has been bought up by Germany principally, at enhanced prices, which leaves our market bare of supplies in this particular direction. A fair arrival of farmers' butter, but only a dull business for such passing at 1/3 to 1/5; quality too is poor; of course, more money would be paid for anything of fine description, but such is very scarce. Factory butter also a quiet trade at 1/5½ to 1/6½ per lb. Supplies of fresh reliable hen eggs are very light and business greatly curtailed in view of the existing high prices—viz., 31/- to 32/6 per 120 extra selected and heavily picked retail lots, 34/-34/6 for case lots of reliable quality from reputable senders; good mediums 25/-, country smalls 17/6 to 19/6, but very hard to find buyers for this latter description. Best fresh tested and repacked duck eggs 24/- to 26/-. Prices for cold storage eggs as previously, viz., 20/6 to 21/-, and demand fair.

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GRIMSBY FISH, Tuesday.—Supply poor; demand fair. Plaice 13/- to 16/-, lemon soles 18/6, whitings 4/6, cod 4/- to 8/-, skate 6/- to 7/-, small haddocks 3/6, kit 5/6, gibbed 8/-, dabs 10/- to 11/-, codlings 4/6, and hake 12/- per stone. Soles 1/6 and turbot and brill 10d. per lb.

LONDON POTATO, Tuesday.—Fair supplies available, with moderate trade passing at steady rates. Best King Edwards 10/- to 11/-, Eclipse, British Queens and Majestic 8/6 to 9/-, blackland King Edwards 9/- and ditto Evergoods 8/- to 8/6 per cwt. Dutch whites 6/6 to 7/-, ditto King Edwards 7/- to 8/-, and Belgian whites 6/6 to 7/- per 50 kilo. bag.

MANCHESTER DEAD MEAT, Tuesday.—Home-killed beef steady. Best sides 8½d. to 9d., seconds 7½d. to 8d. Mutton quieter; best hogs 1/- to 1/1, lambs 1/2 to 1/3, ewes 9d. to 10½d., and calves 5d. to 10d. Chilled beef—Hindquarters 7d. to 7½d., forequarters 5d. to 5½d. Mutton—Wethers 7½d. to 8½d., ewes 7d to 7½d., and rams 9½d. to 1/1½ per lb.

PRODUCE.

LONDON, Tuesday.—TEA—Ceylon sales comprised 16,000 packages, which experienced active support. All the finer qualities continue to realise extreme rates, while common grades show an advance of ½d. to 1d. per lb. Pekoe sold 1/10½ to 2/4, broken ditto 1/11 to 2/5, orange Pekoe 1/11½ to 2/5 and broken ditto 1/11½ to 2/7 per lb. in bond. COFFEE—Market steady for all the finer liquoring grades on the spot, while moderate inquiries made. COCOA—Spot market quiet, unaltered. SUGAR—Cuban receipts for past week totalled 12,962 tons against 714 tons at corresponding period last year; exports 30,372 tons against 15,531 tons; stock 67,261 tons against 47,034 tons same time last year. Weather favourable. The market remained firm for refined goods, with a fair spot demand, and prices remained unaltered for British makes. Imported fully steady; white Java spot sold 33/3, Dutch gran. 34/-, and Belgian ditto 33/3. Forward positions of Continental gran. fully steady, and sellers somewhat reserved; Czecho ready sold at 20/4½, Dec. 20/-, Jan.-March 19/9, and April-Aug. quoted 20/- f.o.b. Hamburg; Dutch ready quoted 20/6 to 20/9 as to mark, and Dinteloord Jan.-March delivery quoted at 20/- f.o.b. Amsterdam; Belgian ready 19/6 and Dec. 19/3 f.o.b. Antwerp. Raw kinds steady, and most of American parcels afloat 96 p.c. have been cleared. Continental steady; beet 88 p.c. Nov. sellers 17/3 and Dec. sellers 16/9 c.i.f. U.K. White Java May-June shipment to London quoted 19/- c.i.f. terms. White terminal fully steady; Nov. sold 20/-, Dec. 19/1½ to 19/3, March 18/10½, May 19/- and Aug. 19/3 per cwt.

RICE quiet; two stars spot quoted 18/3 to 18/6 and Jan.-Feb. 16/6; Spanish and Italian unaltered. Japanese Peas—Dec.-Jan. and Jan.-Feb. sold 26/6 per cwt. SPICE—Pepper quiet; black Singapore L.S. Oct.-Dec. quoted 5½d., Lampong Jan.-March 5½d., Muntok spot 11½d. and Jan.-March 11¼d. Cloves slow; Zanzibar spot sellers 1/3, Oct.-Dec. 1/- and Jan.-March 11¼d. per lb. TAPIOCA quiet; Singapore flake to Havre Jan.-March sellers 26/9 and Penang seed to London Dec.-Jan. 21/6. Sago Flour—Dec.-Feb. 17/6 and Jan.-March 17/3. Desiccated Coconut steady; spot 40/- and Dec.-Jan. 39/4 per cwt. DRIED FRUIT—At public sales 138 tons Valencia raisins offered, and mostly bought in; common sold 41/-, medium 48/- to 53/- and seedless 42/- to 46/-. Muscatels met a fair demand at about steady rates; clusters, common and 80/- to 88/-, medium 70/- to 82/-, good 97/- to 110/-, fine 112/6 to 117/6; loose, common 35/- to 50/-, medium 56/- and good 60/- to 65/- per cwt. JUTE quiet and easier; firsts to Continent Nov.-Dec. to Jan.-Feb. quoted £39 15/- and lightnings Dec.-Jan. £38 per ton. Hessians and twills quiet. HEMP—Manila firmly held; J grade Nov.-Jan. and Dec.-Feb. quoted £54, K ditto £53, L ditto £52 10/- and M £51. Receipts for past week totalled 18,000 bales; estimate for next week 31,000 bales, and week following 36,000 bales. New Zealand and African sisal unaltered. SHELLAC firm; T.N. spot 325/- to 330/-, Dec. 330/- and March sold 305/- per cwt. COPRA quietly steady.

RUBBER in fair demand and market firm. Plantation standard crepe and sheet spot, also Dec., sold 1/6¼, Jan. 1/6¼ to 1/5½, and Jan.-March, also April-June, 1/6¼ to 1/6½ per lb. Wild sorts quiet. OILS—Linseed quiet; spot 46/3, Dec. 45/-, Jan.-April sold 44/7½, May-Aug. 45/1½. Rape, Cotton and Castor unaltered. Coconut—Ceylon spot pipes 48/-, Nov.-Dec. 47/6. Groundnut firm; crude spot naked 57/- and deodorised barrels 67/-. Chinawood—Hankow spot barrels 82/- and Dec.-Jan. 78/-. Turpentine easier; American spot, also Dec. 60/-, and Jan.-April 62/- per cwt. Petroleum—Standard white spot 1/1 and water white 1/2 per gallon. OILSEEDS—Linseed quiet; Calcutta to London Nov.-Dec. sellers £24 5/-, April-May £24; Plate to Hull Nov.-Dec. £22 2/6 and Jan.-Feb. £22. Rapeseed dull and easy; Toria to Continent Nov.-Dec. quoted £23 10/- and real bold Ferozepore ditto £23 2/6. Cottonseed slow; Egyptian black Dec.-Jan. to Hull sellers £13 7/6, white £12 12/6, and Bombay Jan.-Feb. £11 per ton. Castorseed, Gingelly and Soya Beans quiet and unaltered.

LIVERPOOL AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE, Tuesday.—The moderate supply of farm produce on offer to-day met with a fair demand. Potatoes—Great Scotts 8/-, Kerrs Pink 7/9 to 8/- per cwt. Turnips 3/- to 3/6, carrots 4/- per cwt. Parsley 10d. to 1/-, cabbages 1/3 to 2/3, cauliflowers 3/6 to 4/-, celery 2/6 to 3/6 per doz. Hay 5/-, wheat straw 2/10 to 3/-, oat straw 2/8 to 2/10 per cwt.

CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR, Tuesday.—The market continues very firm. All ready sugars in active demand, with prices tending higher.

MISCELLANEOUS.

DUBLIN HAY AND STRAW (Smithfield), Tuesday.—Very heavy arrivals of hay, but both the weather conditions and quality of arrivals were against business. Anything well saved cleared early, but inferior classes were very hard to cash at a late hour of the morning. Prices:—First crop hay 7/6 to 8/-, second and third crop 6/6 to 7/3, old meadow 3/6 to 4/6 and 5/-, inferior 2/6 to 3/6 per cwt. Straw in larger compass than for some time past; however, in early stages of business, when arrivals were on the small side, oaten straw made 3/6 to 4/3, and an odd choice load 4/6, but with the increase in supply as market progressed prices dropped to 2/6 and 3/- per cwt. Wheaten straw cleared around 4/- to 4/6 per cwt.

LONDON HAY AND STRAW, Tuesday.—Market steady; ample supplies offering. Best meadow hay £5 to £5 15/-, medium £4 5/- to £4 15/-, inferior £3 5/- to £3 15/-, best clover £5 10/- to £6, best mixtures and sainfoin £5 to £5 15/-; best trussed wheat, barley and oat straw 80/- to 90/-, all per ton, delivered in London.

MANCHESTER TRADE, Tuesday.—No new feature of striking importance presents itself here. Some cloth sellers report rather better India inquiry, both in quantity and quality, but to render any business of weight possible limits will require very considerable improvement. China outlook hopeful, without much impression on order lists. American yarn quiet, and more irregular in quotation. Egyptians very stiff.

LIVERPOOL COTTON (Closing), Tuesday.—American in small demand. Brazilian quotations raised 11 points. East Indian unchanged. Egyptian neglected. Nov., 13.42d.; Dec., 13.40d.; Jan., 13.46d.; Feb., 13.48d.; March, 13.53d.; April, 13.54. Sales, 5,000; imports, 17,840 bales. Market quiet.

LONDON METALS MARKET.

TIN LOWER.

The market for TIN displayed a weaker tone, with dealings on a moderate scale, both cash and forward positions marking a decline of 40/- to 42/6 per ton compared with previous close. Standard cash quoted £255 5/- to £255 10/-, three months £258 5/- to £258 10/-, settlement price £255 10/-. Sales 700 tons; cash at £256, £255, £255 15/-, and finally £255 10/-, three months £259, £258 10/-, £259 5/-, £258 5/-, and £258 10/-. English ingots £256 10/- to £257. COPPER in good support, and prices 2/6 per ton dearer for cash, and 5/- for three months. Standard cash quoted £63 10/- to £63 12/6, three months £64 12/6 to £64 15/-, settlement price £63 10/-. Sales 1,100 tons; standard cash at £63 10/- to £63 11/3, three months £64 10/- to £64 12/6. Electros quoted £67 15/- to £68 5/-, B.S.I. £67 5/- to £68 10/-, S.S. £94; wire bars £68 5/-. LEAD somewhat irregular, with active dealings, 1,000 tons sold; good soft foreign pig Nov. at £40, Dec. £39, Jan. £37 15/-, Feb. £37 10/- to £37 2/6, March £36 17/6, settlement price £40; English quoted £41 5/-. SPELTER steady, and 650 tons changed hands, including Nov. £34 18/9 to £34 17/6, Dec. £34 17/6 to £34 16/3, Feb. £34 15/-; settlement price £34 17/6 per ton. TINPLATES, also QUICKSILVER, unaltered.

LONDON WOOL SALES.

BRISK COMPETITION.

At the sixth series of public sales for the current year three catalogues were brought forward, jointly totalling 10,803 bales, and comprised 4,428 bales of New South Wales and Queensland, 856 Victorian, 630 West Australian, 4,214 New Zealand, 352 Cape, 73 Kenya, and 250 English slipe. There was a large number of buyers present, and brisk competition resulted at full to firmer prices compared with final rates of last series. Merinos were unchanged to 5 p.c. dearer, cross-breds 5 p.c. up, and Cape descriptions unchanged. New South Wales and Queensland scoured merino combing, 68½d., clothing 46½d., fleece 63d.-68½d., pieces 31d.-66½d., bellies 42½-62½d., lambs 41d.-62d., broken 62½d.-69d., greasy merino combing 26d.-43½d., fleece 30½d.-37d., necks 30d.-37d., bellies 25d.-30d., pieces 25d.-33d., broken 29½d.-35½d.; Victorian scoured merino combing 51d.-69½d., clothing 60d., lambs 45d., pieces 37½d.-38½d., comeback 62½d.-63½d., cross-bred combing 38d., half-bred do. 37½d.-48d., bred 44½d.-56½d.; New Zealand scoured cross-bred 28½d.-40d., half-bred pieces 34½d.-42d., greasy half-bred 30½d., cross-bred 21½d.-30½d., washed cross-bred lambs 20d.-23d., slipe half-bred lambs 29½d.-41d.; three-quarter bred do. 30d.-33½d.; cross-bred do. 21d.-32d.; English slipe quarter-bred lambs 36½d., half-bred do. 27½d.-33d., and cross-bred do. 18½d.-20½d. per lb.

AUSTRALIAN WOOL SALES.

SYDNEY, Tuesday.

At the wool sales held at Sydney yesterday 10,088 bales were offered, of which 9,132 were sold. Private sales consisted of 1,595 bales. There was a superior selection, and many clips suitable for America met with extremely spirited competition at prices in sellers' favour. Other sorts met with keen Yorkshire, German, French, and local buying, and most descriptions showed a hardening tendency, especially comebacks and fine cross-breds. Greasy merino realised 49½d., comeback 42½d., and cross-bred 37d.

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Wednesday, Nov. 26, 1924.

CUIRT ATHCHOMHAIRC CHOIRIULA (Court of Criminal Appeal).—For to-morrow (Thursday), 27th November. Sitting in the Supreme Court, at 11 o'clock. Application referred to the Court under Rule 24b—The State v. John Roberts.

AN PRIMH-BHREITHEAMH (Chief Justice).—In Lunacy. Before the Assistant Registrar, at 11.30 o'clock—Summons, Malcomson and Law; statement, do.; do., Fry and Sons. Before the Examiner, at 11.30 o'clock—Vch, ac., Galway and Culbert; do., Lardner and Co.

AN ARD-CHUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS (the High Court of Justice).—Court No. 1. Before Mr. Justice Meredith, at 11 o'clock. Action—Gilligan v. Carnon. Thursday, 27th November. Motion—Morgan v. Rice. Friday, 28th November. Action—Madden v. Fleming. Wednesday, 3rd December. Actions—Sullivan v. Murray; Donnelly v. O'Connell.

In Court 5.—Before Mr. Justice Murnaghan, at 11 o'clock. Motions—Grehan v. Grehan; Orpen Palmer v. Hayes. Petition—Cos' Acts and Parsonstown Gas Co. At Chambers—Phelan v. Murphy; Bank of Ireland v. O'Donoghue; S. L. Acts and McCarthy; National Bank, Ltd., v. Thornhill; McCafferty v. Kelly; Rafter v. Rafter; Doyle v. McGrath; Lowry v. Lowry; Keogh v. Barry; Munster and Leinster Bank v. Maloney; Herrick's trusts and Conveyancing Act; Settled Estates Act and Dudley; Crowley v. Maguire; Lennon v. Clyne. Wednesday, 3rd December. Adjourned into Court—Co's Act and Motor Hirage and Sales Co., Ltd.

In Court 2.—At 11 o'clock. Exparte Motions. Summons—Mulholland v. Ramsey. Attendance Order—Mulholland v. Ramsey. On Notice—Weir v. Gibson; Rivlin v. Brick; same v. same; Moloney v. Henry; Dangas v. Irish and Continental Trading Co.; Weir and Co. v. Gibson and anor.; M. and L. Private Loan Co. v. Forde and anor.; Thompson and Blair v. McKenna; Hearne and Co. v. Griffiths; O'Toole v. Haughton; Royal Bank v. Nicholl; McCarthy v. Higgins; Offaly County Council v. Ravenhill and ors.

TRIALS BY JURY.—In Court No. 4, at 11 o'clock. City Common—Stenson v. Conway (seduction). A very large attendance of City Common Jurors is required this morning at the Law Courts, the Castle, in Court No. 4, at 11 o'clock. Absent jurors will be fined. In Court No. 3, at 11 o'clock. City Appeal—O'Shea v. Southern Star, Ltd., and anor. (libel). A very large attendance of City Special Jurors is required this morning at the Law Courts, the Castle, in Court No. 3, at 11 o'clock. Absent jurors will be fined. For Thursday, 27th November. City Common—Buchalter v. Sun Electrical Co., Ltd. (issue); Hunter Hall v. Hogan (issue). For Friday, 28th November. Non-Juries—Keappock and ors. v. Geraghty (money due); Cromer v. Dinsmore and a counter-claim (money due); Slowey and anor. v. Slowey (probate); same v. same (probate); The Electric Motors (South Wales), Ltd., v. Nolan (money due); Ferns v. Brown (interpleader issue). For Monday, 1st December. City Special—Daly v. Irish Transport and General Workers' Union and ors. (libel). City Common—Foley v. Fitzgerald (seduction); Speight and Sons, Ltd., v. Dillon and a counter-claim (goods sold).

COIMISIUN CUIRTEANNA DHAIL EIREANN (Criochnu Gnotha) (Dail Eireann Court (Winding-Up) Commission).—Before the Chief Judicial Commissioner and Mr. Commissioner C. Kenny. In Court No. 1, Dail Courts Commission Buildings, Caisleán Bla Cliath, at 10 o'clock. Motion—McDonagh v. Nolan and ors. At 11 o'clock. For Judgment—Magnier v. O'Brien. For Directions—Matthews v. Matthews; McFarlane v. Dean; Skehan v. Skehan. Motion—Skeffington v. Healy. For Friday, 28th November. Appeals. For Hearing—South Dublin U.D.C. v. Byrne; Dublin Corporation v. White.

CHUIRT BHREITHIUNAIS CHUARDA (Circuit Court of Justice).—Dublin Circuit—Before Mr. Justice Dromgoole, Circuit Judge, at 11 o'clock—Criminal Cases—continued.

COURT OF THE RAILWAY TRIBUNAL.—In the Council Chamber, City Hall, Dublin, at 11 o'clock. For Saturday, 29th November, 1924—In the matter of the Amalgamation of the Great Southern Railway Company and the Dublin and South Eastern Railway Company (including the City of Dublin Junction Railways and New Ross and Waterford Extension Railways).

CHAMBERS No. 1—Room 58—Smith v. Byrne; Royal Bank of Ireland, Ltd., v. Harrison; Ffrench v. Kelly; O'Grady v. Attorney-General; Bright v. Caldwell; Ehrill v. O'Grady. Walsh v. Hennessy; O'Loughlin v. Welshe; Cooke v. Cooke. Before the Assistant Chief Clerk, at 11.30 o'clock—Harnett v. Harnett.

CHAMBERS No. 2 (Room 59), at 11 o'clock—Lonon v. Mark, sign cert.; Artan Clothing Factory, Ltd., do.; P. Kilkenny, deceased, Jordan v. Kilkenny; Northern Banking Company, Ltd., v. Kelly; P. J. A. Dunning, deceased, Gaffey v. Hughes; M. Mulroy, deceased, M'Andrew v. Mulroy; M. E. Forster, deceased, Lynch v. M'Mahon; Peard v. White; W. W. M'Gwire, deceased, Gries v. Glynn; T. Keogh, deceased, Byrne v. O'Meara; M. Kilgarriff, deceased, Kilgarriff v. Kilgarriff; P. O'Connor and Son, Ltd., v. Merrick; Tinakilly Co.-op. Agricultural Society, Ltd.; Pavilion Cinema and Cafe, Ltd. Before the Assistant Chief Clerk (Room 59), at 11 o'clock—M. A. Bonner, deceased, Bonner v. Bonner.

CONSOLIDATED TAXING OFFICE.—Master Kilbride, at 11 o'clock—A person of unsound mind (G.S.), Montgomery and Chaytor; a person of unsound mind (G.S.), M. Cartan O'Meara; a person of unsound mind (G.S.), A. Carroll; a person of unsound mind (G.S.), W. L. Hodgins; Gorey Rural District Council to O'Flaherty, P. J. O'Flaherty and Son; Heyden v. M'Kenna, Fullerton and Doyle. Master Denning, at 11 o'clock—Hamilton v. Kelly, Hamilton and Craig; Drumlish Co-operative Society to Harman, Harman and O'Brien. Master Macnamara, at 11 o'clock. Ex Parte Taxations—National Bank, Ltd. v. Nugent, Rooney and Co.; Brady v. Brady, L. C. P. Smith and Co.; Brady v. Brady, T. G. Quirke and Co.; Keating v. Dublin United Tram Co., Casey, Clay and Collins; Fetherston-Whitney's Estate, S. Gordon and Son.

BANKRUPTCY.—Before the Chief Registrar, at 11 o'clock—Browne, pr. dts., Collins and Son; Keane, vch. ac., Hayes and Son; Moore, do., Thompson and Edwards, arrangt., pr. dts., Collins and Son; do., do., J. W. Davis; do., ac. comp., do.; White, reference, Beauchamp and Orr, do., vch. mortgee. ac., do.; arrangt., pr. dts., F. M. Beales; do., vch. ac., Porter, Morris and Co.; do., ac. comp., F. M. Beales do.; do., Horan and Devine; Mulvey, vch. ac., Collins and Son; arrangt., ac. comp., do.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.—At commissioners' Chambers—Before the Chief Examiner, at 11.30 o'clock—The Marquess of Waterford—Before Mr. Stubbs, at 11 o'clock—Cherry, R. A. Sadlier Jackson (E.C. 5324 and 5887)—vouch. Before Mr. Sullivan at 11—R. L. Archdall (E.C. 10327)—discharge rulings. Before Mr. Franks, at 11 o'clock—A. L. Thomas and another (E.C. 8275). Before Mr. Lowndes, at 11 o'clock—A. T. St. George Caulfeild (E.C. 6046)—discharge rulings. Before Mr. Lets, at 11 o'clock—Richard Bee and another—settle schedule. At 2.30 o'clock—Sir Michael O'Loghlen (E.C. 8200) (Shannon's Rent)—vouch. Before Mr. Brett, at 11 o'clock—Marchioness Conyngham (E.C. 10331) (Earl of Drogheda Rent)—discharge rulings.

COMPANY MEETING.

ANGLO-PERSIAN OIL COMPANY, LIMITED.

SIR CHARLES GREENWAY ON RENEWED ATTACKS ON THE COMPANY.

The fifteenth ordinary general meeting of shareholders in this company was held at Winchester House, Old Broad street, London, E.C., yesterday, Sir Charles Greenway, Bart. (chairman of the company), presiding.

The Secretary (Mr. John Clark) read the notice convening the meeting and also the report of the auditors.

The Chairman:—Ladies and Gentlemen,—The report and accounts have been submitted a few weeks earlier than on the last occasion, and we hope in future years that we may be able to do still better.

PROFITS.

When last I had the pleasure of meeting you I indicated that I did not anticipate any improvement in results for the past financial year. This anticipation is confirmed by the figures now before you. I explained last year some of the adverse factors which militated against better results being shown, but one other to which I did not then refer was the competition which we have experienced in some of the Continental markets in which we have established ourselves. In some of these markets "rate wars" have been carried on to an insane extent, but we can await the result with perfect equanimity, since for every shilling that we lose our competitors must lose two or more. Taking into account these conditions and those previously explained, the results shown in the accounts before you may, I think, be regarded with satisfaction.

The dividend on the Ordinary Shares which we have recommended is again 10 per cent. As in the case of the previous year, the profits shown might have justified a higher rate of dividend, but, with a view to conserving our financial resources as much as possible—in regard to which point I shall have something more to say later on—we have again deemed it advisable to follow a conservative policy.

As regards the current year, it is more than ever difficult to venture a forecast. Provided, however, that there is no further decline in prices, we are hopeful that the current year will show a considerable increase in our profits.

MARKET PROSPECTS.

As to the probable future course of prices for petroleum products, it is, as I said last year, always dangerous to prophesy. At that time it looked as if consumption were overtaking production. This would have happened had it not been for the bringing in of some new fields in the United States and for the reckless system of drilling obtaining in that country which results from a large number of competing producers being able to operate at the same time in one field regardless of the life of the field or of market considerations. The combined effect of these causes was—temporarily only, I think—to again bring production ahead of consumption. On the other hand, there has been an enormous increase all over the world in the consumption of petroleum products, sufficient nearly, if not quite, to counterbalance the increased production; and now that the production of crude has again begun to decline there is every reason for believing that, subject to no prolific new fields being discovered in the near future, the barometer of oil prices has reached its lowest point, and that any change will be in the "fair weather" direction. The weakness of prices in the United States during the past few months has, I should point out, not been due so much to the growth of production as compared with consumption as to the want of sufficient storage accommodation for both crude oil and products to meet the expanding trade, since stocks in that country, relatively to its increased consumption and exports, show an appreciable decline on the figure at which they stood when prices were on a higher level. This is, however, a difficulty which is being daily overcome, and when the tankage in that country has been sufficiently extended the forced sales which have been so marked a characteristic of the American market for some time past must necessarily cease, and prices be re-established on a basis more consistent with the world's average cost of production. I do not, of course, speak of our cost of production, because in this respect we stand, as I have previously pointed out, in an exceptionally favoured position owing to the unique productivity and life of our wells and to the very high quality of our crude.

BALANCE SHEET.

I will now deal with the items of the balance sheet which call for explanation. Taking the debit side first of all, the only changes of importance are—(1) The amount of issued capital, which shows an increase of £121,233 10s., being the amount of calls on the last issue of capital outstanding at 31st March, 1923, but since paid; (2) redemption of Debentures to the amount of £125,000; (3) the £2,000,000 Five-Year Secured Notes which were issued during the year and applied to paying off the loan from our bankers, which in the previous accounts stood at £2,829,000; (4) employés' provident pension and insurance fund shows an increase for the year of £273,034 6s. 5d., and now stands at the satisfactory total of £1,089,812 3s. 4d.; and (5) the reserves, which show an increase of £202,940 18s., bringing the total up to £5,283,128 11s. 6d.

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.

The profit and loss account shows, as you will see, after payment of Preference dividend up to 30th September, a total remaining to be dealt with of £3,079,143 9s. 11d., as compared with £2,993,051 17s. 2d. in the previous year. Out of the former amount we have since paid a further £437,500 in respect of Preference dividends for the half-year ended 31st March last, and we now recommend the payment on the 31st December next of the dividend of 10 per cent. on the Ordinary Shares, to which I have already referred, absorbing £895,000, leaving a balance of £1,746,643 9s. 11d. to be carried forward. This balance, as before, is subject to such excess profits duty as we may be ultimately called upon to pay, and also to corporation profits tax, for the year ended 31st March last. No settlement in respect of the former item has, I am sorry to say, yet been arrived at; but, whatever it may be, it, as also the liability for corporation profits tax, are very amply covered by the balance carried forward.

Dealing now with the credit side, the only items calling for remark are—(1) Purchase price of concessions share in and advances to associated companies, etc. The amount appearing under this heading shows an increase on the previous year of £98,547 10s. 5d., but, on the other hand, the contingent liability has been reduced by £1,767,906 2s. 9d. (2) Refineries, tank installations, etc., etc. This item shows an increase for the year of £232,640 7s. 7d., being the balance of capital expenditure in excess of the amounts written off for depreciation. (3) Stocks of stores and materials show a reduction of £63,651 10s. 10d. (4) Our cash at bankers and in hand stands at £876,359 5s. 4d., as compared with £561,182 6s. 2d.

During the year we disposed of the War Loan Stock, which appeared in the last balance sheet at a cost of £594,427 17s., but our net liquid position shows, as will be seen from the balance sheet, a satisfactory improvement.

RENEWED ATTACKS ON THE COMPANY.

Last year I referred to the attacks which had been made upon the company and the attempts which had been made to depreciate the value of our concern. We had hoped that the information and explanations I then gave would have enabled the public and the Press to have grasped the true position and facts. It is, therefore, a matter of great regret to us to find that there has lately been a very strong recrudescence of these attacks, and consequently I feel it necessary, in justice to our shareholders and to the public generally, to again deal with the matter and to give some further particulars of the present position of the company, in order that everyone may fully understand the great potentialities of the company and the magnitude of its operations.

In the first place, I will give you some figures in connection with the present state of development of our own and our associated concerns. The production of crude from our main Persian fields is to-day at the rate of 4½ millions of tons per annum—the maximum quantity we are in a position at the moment to dispose of—all of this being produced from flowing wells. In addition to the wells from which we are producing we have a large number of others drilled in and capped and ready to yield their oil in equal abundance at any time that it may be required. Last year I reported to you that we had proved a valuable field in an entirely new area, and I am pleased to say that the further developments in this field fully confirm what I then said of it. In the Argentine also I have to report that the further drilling, to which I referred last year, led to the striking of oil in considerable quantities, thus further augmenting our sources of supply.

SUPPLY.

We have now in operation about 700 miles of pipe lines, a large portion of them being 10 inch or more in diameter, 1,510 storage tanks, situated in various parts of the world, and 382 boilers and 31 boiler houses. We have nine separate refineries situated in different parts of the world. Among our buildings we have 180 workshops and factories, 4,239 dwelling houses and bungalows, 69 blocks of buildings for the accommodation of our native employés, and over 1,000 other buildings of a miscellaneous description. We have in connection with our distributing organisations 685 bulk oil installations, including 48 ocean installations (i.e., installations erected at various ports in different parts of the world), and 708 subsidiary installations. We provide employment for over 50,000 people, including 20,500 of British nationality. We have 164 miles of railways situated in and outside our works, 71 locomotives and 3,462 rail tank cars and waggons. We have for road transport 1,847 motor lorries, motor tractors and tank cars, apart from a large number of horse and mule drawn vehicles. Our fleet now amounts to a total of 333 vessels of all descriptions, all fully employed, including 67 tankers, nearly all built within the past eight years. To accommodate these vessels and to handle the cargoes they carry we have built or acquired no less than 89 jetties and wharves at the various ports where they call. For the carrying on of the different operations of our business—producing, refining, storing and distributing—we have had to purchase tens of thousands of acres of land in the various countries where these operations are being carried on. We have in Persia five hospitals, containing 274 beds, 11 British and two Indian doctors and 20 British nurses. I may mention that at these hospitals we last year gave free treatment to no less than 3,866 in-patients and over 34,000 out-patients. A large proportion of these patients were local Persians not in the employment of the company, and it is needless for me to say that this beneficient care of the inhabitants of the country in which we are operating has been greatly appreciated by them, and has been of invaluable assistance to us in our relations with the local tribes. In addition, we are contributing liberally to the principal Persian hospital in Teheran. We are also giving financial aid to several schools in different parts of Persia with the object of educating and training Persians to fill the various capacities for which there are openings in the company's service. We have also provided in Persia and elsewhere a number of fully equipped clubs for the recreation of our various staffs. I would add that the plant and buildings which we have erected at our fields refineries and elsewhere are all of the most improved modern type and have been designed with a view to securing the maximum of efficiency at the minimum cost. The few figures I have quoted will give you some idea of the huge organisation which we have built up in the 13 years which have elapsed since we first began operations, and it is a record of development which, I am confident, has not been equalled in the same short space of time by any other concern in the commercial history of the world. (Applause.)

FINANCIAL POLICY AND ADMINISTRATION.

As to our financial policy and administration I claim that in these also we can show a record unequalled by any other company in the same period of time. I told you last year that during the previous three years we had provided out of revenue no less than £12,000,000 for new capital outlay. I will now add to these figures by telling you that since we first became a revenue producing concern in 1914—only ten years ago—we have provided out of our earnings a total of no less than £19,000,000 for expenditure of a capital nature, in addition to paying out the sum of over 9½ millions in dividends and debenture interest. These figures are, I think, an ample demonstration of the soundness of our financial policy, inasmuch as by restricting our capital issues to a figure far below the amount of our capital expenditure we have greatly enhanced the intrinsic value of our ordinary shares without at any time straining our financial position.

From what I have said you will, I am sure, all be satisfied that the statements which have been recently again put into circulation are entirely devoid of foundation, and that you will share with us the great pride we feel in being associated with a concern which has, notwithstanding the strong opposition it has always had to contend with, achieved such a unique record of development and success. (Hear, hear.)

VISIT OF AMERICAN EXPERTS.

Before passing from this subject, I would like to mention that our fields and refineries in Persia were visited a few months ago—with our permission, of course—by three American experts of the highest repute, and that their confidential report—which, by the courtesy of their principals, I have been permitted to see—was, I am pleased to say, of an extremely favourable character, it being admitted that our arrangements were in some respects even in advance of the latest United States methods. Independent testimony of this nature is, I think you will all agree, far more reliable and convincing than loose dinner table talk or club whisperings of men who have no actual knowledge of our operations or of our great potentialities.

Success, as we all know, breeds envy. Envy by itself we do not object to, for it is a tribute to our success. But we do object to it—and object very strongly indeed—when it is accompanied by damaging attacks on the company, for which there is not the slightest foundation, especially when conveyed by verbal statements and innuendoes, which we only hear of indirectly, and have no opportunity of refuting. I trust that the information I have given you to-day may have the effect of putting an end, once and for all, to this underhand mode of attack, but it will, in any case, enable the persons to whom these statements are made to judge for themselves what credence to give to them. (Hear, hear.)

NO FURTHER CAPITAL ISSUES.

As regards capital issues, we have, as I have already mentioned, made an issue during the year of £2,000,000 short-term Notes to enable us to pay off the loan we had from our bankers, and beyond this we do not anticipate having to make any further new issues in the near future. We are, of course, constantly incurring large fresh capital outlay, this being inevitable in connection with a concern which is expanding so largely and rapidly as ours, but, so far as we can see, we shall be able to meet this out of revenue until such time as we may find it advisable to extend our production beyond the 5,000,000 ton per annum limit, for which we have, so far, been building up our organisation.

PRODUCTION.

With regard to production, I must repeat that I have again nothing but good news to give you. In Persia we have again considerably extended the area of the proved territory in our main fields. At any point of this area we can now put down a bore with the practical certainty of tapping a prolific well, and the wells from which we have, so far, been obtaining our production still continue to maintain their large yields. I have heard that we have been described as a "one-well company." This is, no doubt, due to what I have told you from year to year about our now famous F. 7, which has now given a total yield up to date of about 6,000,000 tons, and is still maintaining the same high rate of production. But this is only typical of the wells we have opened up all over our proved territory, and it has already been far surpassed by other wells—E.G.B. 17—situated 1¼ miles from F. 7, which flows at the rate of 13,000 barrels per day, or, roughly, 1,000,000 tons per annum. These large-producing wells are, I may explain, not located in any one particular spot, but are spread all over our proved territory, and as we extend this territory, as we are constantly doing by putting down fresh wells at distances of about half a mile from each other, we continue to strike wells of the same prolific character. In order that you may be better able to follow the course of the development of our production, I will continue the table of figures which I gave you last year, namely:—

			Tons.
In 1918-19	our production	was	1,105,415
,, 1919-20	,,	,,	1,385,301
,, 1920-21	,,	,,	1,743,557
,, 1921-22	,,	,,	2,327,221
,, 1922-23	,,	,,	2,959,028
,, 1923-24	,,	,,	3,724,216

against my estimate of 3,775,000 tons, and in the current financial years it should be between 4¼ and 4½ million tons. (Applause.)

I may add that were we to tap all the wells already opened up we could at once bring our production up to 10,000,000 tons per annum or more, and that by drilling in the wells which have been carried down to the Cap Rock we could still further largely augment our production within a few months. But it would be extremely unwise to produce at this high rate until we have ascertained more definitely the extent of our reserves, and in any case it could not be done without a corresponding increase in our pipe lines, refineries, tankers and distributing organisations—apart from the fact that the sudden producing of this large extra quantity of oil would undoubtedly cause serious disturbance to the world's markets.

Outside of the main fields to which I have referred we have continued our drilling operations in several parts of Persia with a view to discovering new fields, but so far without much success, and several areas which had been favourably reported upon have had to be abandoned. On the island of Kishm, however, where we had been drilling for some years past, and which we had also decided to abandon, we met, some months ago, with an unexpected flow of oil when the casing was being withdrawn from one of the wells. This oil, which has been continuing to flow ever since at the rate of between 400 and 1,400 gallons daily, is of a very unusual character, being practically nothing but pure petrol and kerosene. Though we do not attach much importance to this find, we are proceeding with our examination of the territory in the hope of being able to discover the source from which this highly infiltrated product has been derived. The development of the new area referred to by me in the opening part of my remarks is being actively pursued with a view to proving its maximum extent and productiveness before we can safely embark upon any large scheme of pipe-line or refinery development. The further developments in this area are, I am pleased to say, of a satisfactory character, and the oil produced is of an excellent grade, and there is but little doubt that in this area we have proved another valuable field.

THE ARGENTINE.

As regards the Argentine, I am very pleased to be able to inform you that, notwithstanding my somewhat gloomy predictions of last year, we have had some much more favourable developments recently. Up to date we have produced a total of 28,000 tons of oil, and since the 15th August we have produced and sold about 18,000 tons at satisfactory price. We have a number of wells drilled which are capable of producing on a much larger scale than this, but until we can get some necessary short pipe lines laid and further tankage erected we cannot deal with the whole of the production now available. Although the lives of these wells may not be comparable with those in Persia, there is every reason for anticipating that we shall be able to produce sufficient oil in the Argentine to thoroughly justify our entry into that country.

As regards our refineries, the position is, as you will have seen from the report, entirely satisfactory. At Abadan the difficulties to which I referred last year have all been overcome, and the throughput since the close of the last financial year has been at the rate of over 2,800,000 tons per annum. At Llandarcy a considerably larger throughput has been dealt with, and very gratifying results have been shown both in the quality of the products obtained and in the percentages of yield, and also in the direction of reduced working costs. At Grangemouth the refinery which was being erected by Scottish Oils, Ltd., for dealing with Persian crude has been completed and has for some months past been in full operation. Here also the results have been of a most gratifying character, showing in some respects, owing to the lower average temperature and other causes, an improvement even on those obtained at Llandarcy. I may mention here that the further experience gained at these refineries more than ever confirms our anticipations in regard to the great advantages of home refining. Apart from the many other advantages which I have previously indicated, the reduction in evaporation and consequent larger yield of the lighter and more valuable products, the gain from which much exceeds our original estimates, alone more than justified us in having taken what was regarded by some of our critics as a novel and dangerous departure. Another important advantage that we gain is that, with the constant care and supervision which our research chemists are in a position to give at close quarters to our refining processes, we are able to produce motor spirit and other products of a much better and more uniform quality than is practicable when the refining is carried on in a bad climate and thousands of miles away from the countries of consumption. We can, in fact, now claim that, as a result of this closer and more scientific attention to refining, we produce the best and most uniform quality of spirit at present on the market. The refinery which was being erected in Australia by our associated company in that country—the Commonwealth Oil Refineries, Ltd.—was completed some months ago, and its products have now been introduced on the Australian markets.

The refineries belonging to our other associated companies call for no special comment, but they are all working satisfactorily.

THE SHALE INDUSTRY.

As regards Scottish Oils, Ltd., I am pleased to say that the improvement in prices which took place early this year enabled the Shale Companies embraced in this concern to show a less unsatisfactory position at the close of their financial year than at one time appeared probable. Since then, however, the fresh fall which has taken place in market values has again adversely affected the industry, but strenuous efforts are being made in every direction to meet these unfavourable conditions.

To come to the last stage of our business—i.e., distributing—I am pleased to report that we are making satisfactory progress in every direction. The superior quality and unvarying character of "B.P." are getting better appreciated every day, and as time goes on we get more and more firmly established in all the markets into which we have so far made an entry, and our trade continues to show a steady increase.

RELATIONS WITH THE PERSIAN GOVERNMENT.

Our relations with the Persian Government continue, I am pleased to say, to be quite satisfactory, and there appears to be more disposition generally on the part of leading Persians to re-establish the friendly relations which subsisted for so many years between the two countries. There is at present an unfortunate dispute going on between the Central Government and the Sheikh of Mohammerah, which has led to the gathering of troops on either side, and to one or two unimportant collisions between them. But the scene of these movements is far distant from our fields and works, and we have received assurances from both sides that in any circumstances our operations and property will in no way be interfered with. We have no views in regard to the matter in dispute—nor, if we had, have we any right to express them, as it is purely a Governmental position—but, in view of our large interests in the country, we hope that a solution of the difficulty will soon be found, and that any conflict of a serious character may thereby be averted.

STAFF AND OFFICES.

Before concluding my remarks, I will ask you to join with us in thanking the staffs of our various concerns for the unremitting keenness, loyalty and devotion which they continue to display in the interests of the company. In this connection, I will quote from a telegram which came a few days ago from Sir John Cadman, who is now in Persia. He cables:—

"The condition of the oilfields is highly satisfactory. I am much impressed with the energy, capacity and *esprit de corps* of the company's staff throughout all its operations in this country."

I would like to add this from my knowledge, that we could not be better served than we are. Both on the technical and commercial sides of the business, we have a fine set of men, full of keenness and pride in the company, and it is to their unfailing energies and capacity more than anything that we owe the fine record of achievement which I have been able to put before you to-day. I am sure, therefore, that you will join heartily with me in this expression of appreciation of their services.

In London we have, as you are aware from my previous references, for a long time past been carrying on our business under great difficulties owing to the extent to which our heads of departments and office staffs have been scattered all over the city; but I am pleased to say that we are nearly all now gathered under one roof in the new Britannic House in Finsbury Circus, and the advantages of this have already been very forcibly demonstrated. The building will be an expensive one, owing to the present high building costs and delays resulting from strikes; but the difference between the rent of our former buildings and that of the new one will, I am sure, be much more than counterbalanced by the advantages I have indicated.

I now beg to move:—"That the report, balance sheet and profit and loss account for the year ended 31st March, 1924, be received, approved and adopted."

Sir Edward H. Packe, K.B.E., seconded the motion, which, after a short discussion, was unanimously agreed to.

TRAFFICS.

Singapore Electric Tramways—Week to November 22, 13,929 dols.—inc. 1,560 dols. Canadian Pacific Railway—Week to November 21, 4,250,000 dols.—dec. 661,000. Great Southern of Spain Railway—Week to November 15, 121,464 pesetas—inc. 14,218 pesetas. Cordoba Central Railway—Week to November 22, £61,000—inc. £10,000. Assam Bengal Railway—Week to October 25, Rs.339,000—inc. Rs.31,384. San Paulo Railway—Week to November 23, £43,904—inc. £19,405. Salvador Railway—Week to November 22, £3,871—dec. £610. Alcoy and Gandia Railway—Week to November 22, Ps.35,000—inc. Ps.1,000. Mersey Railway—Week to November 22, £4,530—inc. £190. Metropolitan Railway—Week to November 23, £37,303—inc. £1,730.

FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

IRISH STOCK EXCHANGES.

DUBLIN.

WAR FIVES, BANK STOCK AND GUINNESS BETTER. TEXTILES OFFERED. DUNLOP RUBBERS DULL. PARENT DEFERRED HIGHER.

The Dublin markets were mostly quiet, with limited price movements. War Loan 5 p.c. was a firm market. Bank Stock became firmer at the close, and Hibernians closed good. Guinness Ord. were the medium of sustained support, and the price passed slightly over 50, with the round figure bid. Marconi Ord. were harder, but the market here has been for some time exceedingly slack. Radio Common rallied. Home Rails fluctuated a little, with no special feature beyond bidding for Dublin and South Eastern "B" Debs. Provincial Tramways were mentioned, but are held for higher prices. Dublin United Ord. were dull. Textiles weakened, except Courtaulds, and Tobaccos also went lower, especially British-American Shares. *Irish Times* 1st Pref. were ineffectually bid for, and the 2nd Pref. advanced further. Shell Transports were lower.

In British Funds, Consols fell ⅛ to 57⅞, but War Loan 5 p.c. Stock rose 1/16 to 101 1/16, and the "Deed" Stock repeated 101 1/16. Funding Loan realised 89⅝.

Banks closed firm. Bank of Ireland Stock rallied finally ½ to 269, after opening at 268½. Hibernians rose ⅛ to 7 11/16, while Nationals repeated 20⅛. Provincial Shares were sellers at 21½, or ¼ under last price, but were not bid for.

Among Breweries, etc., Guinness Ord. opened unchanged at 49 15/16, and then rose to 50 strong buyers, with dealing also at 50 1/16, 50 at the later market. The Prefs. were firm at 11 15/16. J. Power and Son Pref. realised 19s. Dublin Distillers Pref. fell 1s. to 76s. 6d.

Marconi Ord. rose 3d. to 31s. 9d. buyers. Radio rose ⅜ to 8 11/16, and the Pref. repeated 10 1/16.

In Home Rails, Great Northern fell ½ to 57¼, Great Southern Ord. repeated 37⅞, but the Pref. fell ½ to 50, while the Debs. rose ½ to 65½. Dublin and South-Eastern "A" 4 p.c. Debs. fell ¼ to 59¾, but the "B" Debs. rose 1½ to 57½, and the 4 p.c. Pref. 1 to 44.

In Tramways, Dublin United Ord. fell 1/16 to 6 3/16.

Dunlop Rubber Ord. fell a couple of pence to 10s. 3d., 10s. 4½d., but Parent Tyre Def. rose 6d. to 43s. 6d., and the Ord. repeated 21s. 6d.

Bolands Debs. were again wanted at 6⅛.

As regards Manufacturing Shares, British-American Tobacco fell 9d. to 109s. 3d., and Imperials repeated 84s. Bradford Dyers were on offer. Bleachers fell 1½d. to 64s. 10½d. Calicos 4½d. to 36s. 9d., Coats 3d. to 63s 6d., and Spinners 1s. to 55s. 6d. x.d.

Courtaulds rose 1½d. to 59s. 10½d., and Vickers 1½d. to 12s. 4½d. Lever Bros. 7 p.c. Pref. realised 21s. 6d.

In Trading, etc., *Irish Times* 2nd Pref. rose 6d. to 16s. 6d., but Shell Transports fell 2s. 1½d. to 83s. 4½d.

BUSINESS DONE AT ALL SESSIONS.

Bargains for cash marked "c."

Consols	(58¼) 57⅞	D.S.E. Pref.	(43) 44
5% War Ln.	(101¼) 101 1/16	Do. A Deb.	(60) 59¾
Do. Deed.	(101 1/16) *101 1/16	Do. B Deb.	(56) 57½
Funding Loan	(89⅝) 89⅝	Gt. Western (E.)	109½
5½% Exch. Bonds	100½	Dublin Tram.	(6¼) *6 3/16
Bank of Ireland	(268½) 268⅝c 9c	Parent Ord.	(21/6) 21/6
Hibernian	(7⅝) 7 11/16	Do. Def.	(43/-) 43/6
National	(20⅛) 20⅛	Dunlops	(10/6) 10/3 */4½
Provincial	(21¾) 21½a	Bolands Deb.	6⅛b
Dublin Distillers Pref.	(77/-) 76/6	Bleachers	(65/-) 64/10½
Guinness	(49 15/16) 49 15/16 50 1/16 50	Calicos	(37/1½) 36/9
Do. Pref.	(11 15/16) 11 15/16	Coats	(63/9) 63/6
Power Pref.	19/-	Do. Pref.	(11⅜) 11⅜b
Marconi	(32/3) *31/9	Courtaulds	(59/-) 59/10½
Radio Com.	(8 5/16) 8 11/16	Spinners	(56/6) 55/6
Do. Pref.	(10 1/16) 10 1/16	B.A.T.	109/3
G.N. Ord.	(57¾) *57¼	Imp. Tob.	(84/-) *84/- 4/-
G.S. Ord.	(37⅞) 37⅞	Lever 7%	(21/4½) *21/6
Do. Pref.	(51) 50½	*Irish Times* 6½%	(16/-) 16/6
Do. Deb.	(65) 65½	Shells	83/4½

* Odd lot, b bid, a asked.

(Last business done given in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS' RATE.

Discount .... 5 p.c. 5th July, 1923.
Deposit .... 2 p.c. 5th July, 1923.

STOCK EXCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

Mining contango day	Dec. 1	Dec. 15
General contango day	Dec. 2	Dec. 16
Ticket day	Dec. 3	Dec. 17
Account day	Dec. 4	Dec. 18

BELFAST.

Exchange was steady and moderate business transacted. War Loan closed 101 1/16. War Bonds, 106½; Consols, 58; Northern Bank "A," 5⅞; Belfast Harbour 3½ p.c., 72½; Belfast Water Commissioners 3 p.c., 60½; Great Northern Railway Ord., 57½; do. Deb., 70; do. Pref., 57½, and Great Southern Railway Ord., 37⅞; York Street Flax Spinning Ord., 28; do. 6 p.c. Pref., 10; 2nd Pref., 22s. 6d. Imperial Tobacco, 84s. 3d.; Leahy, Kelly and Leahy Ord., 5⅝; Dunlops, 10s. 3d.; Lever Brothers 7 p.c. Pref., 21s. 4½d.; do. 20 p.c. Pref. Ord., 11s. 4½d.; Shell Transport, 4 3/16.

PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

MANCHESTER.—Textiles rather firm, with a good turnover. Bleachers, 64/6-65/-; do. Pref., 22/-22/6; Calicos, 36/-36/3; do. Pref., 18/3-18/6; Bradford Dyers, 83/-83/6; do. Pref., 20/-20/3; Sewing Cottons, 59/6-60/6; do. Pref., 19/9-20/-; Fine Spinners, 55/-55/6; do. Pref., 19/3-19/6; "Slubbers," 8/9-9/-; Coats, 63/6-64/-; Ship Canal, 8⅛-8 3/16; do. Pref., 8 1/16-8⅛; Velvets, 30/6-31/-.

BIRMINGHAM.—Changes small, but usually favourable. Swifts steadily rising. Singers, Rovers, and Humbers well supported. Austins reacting. Rolls-Royce sold. Dunlops firm. Austins, 5/6; Debentures, 90½; Bluemels, 36/3; Components, 4/-; S.T.D., 5/-; Enfields, 24/6; Humbers, 30/-; Napiers, 24/-; do. Preference, 19/3; Rolls-Royce, 28/10½; Rovers, 13/1½; Singers, 34/9; Standards, 49/6; Swifts, 9/6; Triumphs, 30/-; Vauxhalls, 6/3; Dunlops, 10/4½; Parent Deferred, 43/-.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

ANGOSTURA BITTERS.—Final dividend of 6 per cent., making 9 per cent., free of Trinidad tax, for year.

BAGRACOTE TEA.—Interim dividend of 10 per cent., less tax.

CHULSA TEA.—Interim dividend of 10 per cent., less tax.

CHANDPORE TEA.—Interim dividend of 7½ per cent., less tax.

COLUMBIA GRAPHOPHONE.—Interim dividend of 7½ per cent., less tax; last year the interim dividend was 5 per cent.

DANGUA JHAR TEA.—Interim dividend of 5 per cent., less tax.

DALKEITH CEYLON RUBBER.—Interim dividend of 5 per cent.

GLOBE TELEGRAPH AND TRUST.—Quarterly dividend of 5/- per share, free of tax.

INTERNATIONAL PETROLEUM.—Dividend of 25 cents per share.

LINOTYPE AND MACHINERY.—Net trading profit for year ended 30th June, 1924, after deducting reserves and depreciation, was £132,591. After providing for interest on Debenture stocks, payments to trustees, and guaranteed dividend on leased company shares, there remains £63,245, making available £415,707, which Board recommend be carried forward. (Net profit previous year, £115,760, and balance, after meeting all charges, was £44,318. No dividend has yet been paid on Ordinary shares, and Preference dividend is in arrear from August, 1906.)

LISTER'S.—The directors of Lister and Co. announce a final dividend of 5 per cent., less tax, on the Ordinary shares, making 7½ per cent. for the year. Last year the dividend was the same, plus a bonus of 2½ per cent.

LONDON AND RHODESIAN MINING AND LAND CO.—Interim dividend of 5 per cent., less tax, on account of the current year's profits.

MASSEYS BURNLEY BREWERY.—Net profit, £25,605, brought in £16,662, to reserve £5,000, forward £17,019; dividend of 7 per cent. on Ord.

PENNSYLVANIA WATER AND POWER.—Dividend of $2 per share on the Common shares for quarter ended December 31, 1924.

SYLHET TEA.—Interim dividend of 5 per cent., less tax.

SOUTH WEST AFRICA CO.—Dividend of 10 per cent.

SOUTH AFRICAN BREWERIES.—Interim dividend declared of 2½ per cent. on the Pref. shares, less tax, and 1/- per share on the Ord. shares, free of tax.

SUN LIFE ASSURANCE.—Half-year's dividend of 12/6 per share, free of tax.

THOMAS DE LA RUE AND CO.—Report for the year ended March 29, 1924, states that of the assets shown in the balance sheet, land, buildings, plant and machinery are still based on the figures to which they were written up in December, 1921. These figures bear no relation to to-day's values, and call for drastic revision. This step, however, should form part of a complete re-organisation of the company's capital, which must be undertaken at an early date. This matter is now engaging the close attention of the directors in conjunction with the Committee of Convertible 8 per cent. Mortgage Debenture Stock-holders appointed at the meeting in June, 1923, and it is hoped that a satisfactory scheme on comprehensive lines will be evolved in the course of the current financial year. As a result of the year's operations a profit of £1,943 is shown after meeting interest on the First Mortgage Debenture Stock, but before providing for the service of the Convertible 8 per cent. Mortgage Debenture Stock, or for depreciation on buildings, plant, etc. The directors regret to record that the Government of India has given notice to terminate its contract with the House for the supply of postal stores at the end of December, 1924. This contract has been in the House for upwards of half a century.

IRISH TRAFFICS.

	Last Week.		Total, 47 Weeks.	
*Great Southern	£78,627	−13,031	£3,903,134	+181,865
Great Northern	34,750	−5,900	1,852,700	−127,400
Dublin S.E.	7,821	−261	457,057	−5,330
Cork and Macroom	469	−430	30,004	+15,280
Co. Down	4,247		271,918	

*The totals are made up of the old Great Southern and Western, Midland Great Western, and Cork and Bandon receipts, the comparison being with combined receipts of the same week last year. The same comment applies to the aggregate of 47 weeks.

LONDON STOCKS BETTER.

BREWERIES A STRONG SECTION.

The London Stock markets were quite cheerful yesterday, and business, though small, was on a somewhat better scale. The strength of Brewery securities was a feature, while a number of Industrial issues were supported. Oils and Mines also exhibited a firmer tone. A slightly better tendency was manifest in British Funds, and where prices were altered higher levels were marked. War Loan 3½ p.c. put on ⅛ to 97, while the Fives at 101⅛ were ⅛ higher than the overnight level. The Fours at 100⅜ and the 4½ p.c. at 97 were both without alteration. Consols remained at 58, while Funding Loan and Victory Bonds were firm at 89⅜ and 93½ respectively. Conversions were quite firm, but overnight quotations were repeated at the finish. Among Colonial Government Stocks, Australia Com. 6 p.c. put on a point to 106. Natal 3½ p.c., 1934, were also a point to the good at 83; South Africa 6 p.c. gained a point to 105, while South Australia 4 p.c., 1940-60, at 88, and the 5½ p.c. at 101, were also both a point better than the previous levels. Among Scrips, Sudan 4 p.c. were marked ⅛ higher at 2 prem., while South Africa also finished ⅛ better at 1 15/16 prem. Queensland were quoted at 62½. Telegraphs were slightly higher. Marconi Ord. put on 1s. 3d., while others were held at previous prices. Radio Corporation Common were a firm spot, the final price being nearly ½ higher. The Pref., on the other hand, dropped back, and at the close marked a decrease of 1s. 3d. Breweries were in good demand and higher prices were returned. Guinness Ord. gained 5 points to 500, while the Pref. repeated 117½. Watney Combe Def. were also firmer, being 3 points to the good at 200½. Newspapers were quiet, with "Sunday Pictorial" 6d. better at 86s. 6d. Tobaccos were the turn higher, British-American putting on 1s., while Imperials finished 6d. to the good. Dunlops were held, but Parent Tyre Def. gave way, finishing 1/16 lower at 2⅛.

FOREIGN BONDS QUIET.

Foreign Government Stocks were rather quiet, but a slightly better tone was in evidence. Despite a further drop in the value of the franc, French Loans were well maintained, the Fives at 21¼ x.d. and the Fours at 16½ both finishing without alteration. Egyptian Unified were better, the final price being ¼ up at 75¾. Mexicans were firm, but unchanged on the day's business.

BRITISH RAILS DULL.

Home Rails were dull in the absence of demand, and overnight prices were generally repeated. Westerns at 109 and Midlands at 101 were both unaltered. Metropolitans, on the other hand, were marked up, the Consols finishing ½ higher at 78, while Districts were steady at 53½. Southerns remain firm, but here also no alteration took place.

FOREIGN RAILS IRREGULAR.

Colonial and Foreign Rails were inclined to irregularity, but alterations were better on balance. Canadian Pacific repeated 165. Among Grand Trunks, the Pacific 4 p.c. Deb. dropped a point to 63½. Mexians were a firm spot, the Rails closing ½ better to 9½, while the 8 p.c. Pref. at 28 and the 6 p.c. Pref. at 16 were both a point higher. Mexican National 1st Pref. gained ½ to 5. Central Uruguay Ord. lost ½ to 69½.

RUBBER SHARES STILL IRREGULAR.

An irregular tendency characterised the Rubber Share market yesterday, while business was on a rather small scale. Price alterations were not numerous, and although fairly evenly distributed, they were distinctly lower on balance. Anglo-Sumatra dropped back rather heavily, the final quotation being 3s. 1½d. lower at 54s. 4½d. Kasintoe were also weaker, being 1s. 6d. down at 20s. Tali Ayer lost 10½d. to 21s. 6d., while Bukit Rajah and Straits Rubber were both 9d. lower at 22s. 9d. and 20s. 1½d., respectively. Membakut dropped 8½d. to 14s. 0¾d., while Sapong, at 38s. 3d., was 6d. down. Selangor lost 3¾d. to 4s. 9¾d. Grand Central, at 23s., marked a decrease of 3d., while Rubber Trust lost 2½d. to 32s. 9¾d. Lanadron, at 20s. 9d., were 3d. down, while Taiping lost 2d. to 1s. 8d. Selaba, on the other hand, were much firmer, and at the finish they marked an improvement of 1s. 1½d. to 26s. 3d.

OIL MARKET FIRM.

Business in Oil shares yesterday was on a somewhat better scale than on the preceding day, but dealings were once more mainly professional in character, and the volume of transactions still left room for considerable improvement. Nevertheless, it was satisfactory that the price movements in most of the leading issues, although generally slight, favoured holders. Mexican Eagles again commanded a fair amount of attention and improved during the early hours, Paris being reported a buyer. The demand on behalf of that centre was, however, soon satisfied, and the price receded at the end, a small loss being finally recorded. Among other leading counters, Anglo-Persians had a harder appearance, the highly satisfactory statements at the annual meeting, which is reported elsewhere in this issue, leading to a moderate demand for the shares, the price of which improved. Shells also had an improving tendency, and, following a steady business, closed at an advance; while Royal Dutch, which fluctuated within narrow limits, finished unchanged. Burmahs strengthened in sympathy with Anglo-Persians, and Anglo-Americans recovered. Chief interest among Venezuelans continued to centre on British Controlled, in which there was again a fairly large turnover.

TEA SHARES FIRM.

The amount of business transacted in the Tea Share market yesterday was on a fairly large scale, while an improvement in the tone was noticeable. Most of the recognised leaders were quite active, but speculative issues were inclined to dulness. Dealings generally commenced at a slightly higher level, and in most instances further improved. At the close a fairly long list of alterations was marked and, while a few issues finished slightly lower on the day, the majority of changes were in favour of holders. Amalgamated States improved, while Cons. Tea and Lands also showed a good increase.

INDUSTRIALS QUIET.

Except in the Brewery and Distillery section, where a good demand was experienced, interest being stimulated by the excellent distribution announced by the Ind Coope Co., Miscellaneous and Industrial markets were on the quiet side, being inclined to sag in some directions owing to lack of support. Distillery shares developed new strength under the lead of J. Walkers, which, in response to a good demand, finished 4s. higher at 62s. 6d. Buchanans moved up another 1s. to 64s. 6d., and Distillers rose 1/16 to 2 1/16. Among Breweries Watney Defd. found fresh support, which caused a further advance to 200, or 2½ better. Guinness put on 2 to 500, and Bieckerts 1 to 170½; Ind. Coopes rose to 2½, or 1/16 better, and Marston Thompsons closed 2s. 6d. up at 55s. Exceptionally, Benskins came on offer, and fell 1s. to 28s. Hotels exhibited firmness, Gordon Prefs. rising 6d. to 15s. In Foodstuffs, Bovril Defd. were a firm spot at 46s. 3d., business being recorded up to 47s. Van Den Berghs, however, fell 1/16 to 1 1/16, and Nelson Bros. gave way to 2 1/16. Schweppes Defd. stiffened to 26s., though Apollinaris shed 3d. to 9s. 9d. Caterers hardly moved. Bank shares were a better market. Insurances remained steady at previous levels. Profit-taking in Sudan Plantations caused a fall of ⅛ to 6 11/16, while slight declines occurred in British North Borneo to 11s. 3d., and in Forestals at 24s. Nitrates were dull. Textiles were quiet, with a slightly easier tendency in evidence.

Tobaccos presented a firmer appearance. B.A.T.'s came into request and finished 1s. up at 110s. 6d., while Imperials rose 6d. to 84s. 6d. Cope Bros. were wanted, and further recovered to 65s. 7½d. Among Miscellaneous trading concerns, Oil Cakes held their ground at 24s. 3d. though United Premiers eased to 14s. 6d. British Aluminiums met with support, which took them to 29s., or 6d. better. Mappin and Webb's Prefs. strengthened to 15s. 9d., and Dunlops stiffened to 10s. 6d.; Columbia Graphophones rose to 35s. 9d., though the interim dividend of 7½ p.c., which is 2½ p.c. more than last year, was not known until after hours. News shares developed fresh strength. *Daily Mirrors* put on 1/16 to 6⅜, and Associated Def. ⅛ to 6¼. *Sunday Pictorials* recovered to 4 5/16. Electrics were little dealt in. Wireless issues and Cables remained steady at previous levels. There was a good demand for Dennis Bros. among motor shares, which raised the price 1s. 6d. to 42s. 6d. Humbers, however, eased to 29s. 6d., and Rolls-Royce to 28s. 3d. Thomas Tillings gave way to 50s. 6d. at one time owing to a denial of the recent absorption rumours, but firmed up to 51s. before the close, at which level they showed a loss of 9d. Austin Debs. suffered from profit taking, and relapsed to 90. Iron and Steels generally moved within narrow limits, revealing no decided tendency.

LATEST CLOSING AND STREET PRICES.

CONSOLS, ETC.

Consols	57⅞-58⅛	4½% Conv. Ln.	98⅞-99⅛
War Ln. 3½%	96⅞-97⅛ + ⅛	5% Treas. Bds.	103⅞-104⅛
do. 4½%	96⅞-97⅛	Irish Land 2¾%	60-62
do. 5%	101⅛-101⅜ + ⅛	Indian 3%	58-59
do. 4% (Tax Free)	100⅞-101	do. 3½%	66-67½
Fund'g L'n	89-90	do. 5½%	102-103
Victory Bds	93-93½	do. 7%	105-107
3½% Conv. Ln	78⅞-79	Local Lns.	66½-67½
		Sudan 5½%	106-108

BANKS.

Anglo S. Amer	7⅞-8⅛	Hong Kong	137-139
Australasia	13¾-14	Lloyds	60 9-61 9
Bank N.S.W.	40¼-41	Midland	8⅝-8¾ + ⅛
Do. N. Z.	3-3⅛	Nat. Dis. B.	[illegible]
Barclays A	8⅝-8¾ + ⅛	Nat Prov(£4)	11⅛-11⅜
Brit. F. Trade	[illegible]	Royal of Can.	30-33
Do. Overseas	5½-5⅝	Stand. S.A.	10⅞-11⅛
Can. of Com.	42½-43½	Un. Australia	14½-14⅞
Char.of India	20½-21	Westminster	17⅞-18⅛ − ⅛

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

Alberta 4½ 1943	93-95*	Q'sland 4 1940-50	86-88
Aust. Com. 5½%	99-101*	do. 4½ 1920-5	100-101
do. 6%	105-107+1	do. 6% 1930-40	105-107
Brit. Col. 4½ 1941	92-94	S. Africa 4% Cns	90-92
Canada 4%	92-94	do. 6%	104-106+1
do. 4½ 1920-5	99-101*	S.A'stri'a 4,'40-60	87-89+1
Cape 3½ Cons.	80-82	do. 5½%	100-102+1
Ceylon 6%	109-111	do. 6½%	107-109
Natal 3½ '34	82-84+1	do. 5% 1932-42	100-102
N.S.W. 4½ '22-7	96-100	Victoria 4,'40-60	87-89
do. 5½ 1922-7	99-101*	do. 6½% 1923-5	98-2
do. 5½% 1922-32	100-102	W.Aus. 4% '42-62	87-89
do. 6½% 1930-40	107-109	do. 5½% 1930-40	101-103
N. Zeal'd 4, '29	94-96	do. 5½% 1935-45	99-101*
Nigeria 6%	113-115*	do. 6% 1930-40	104-6

FOREIGN BONDS.

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101	Argentine, 1886	100¾	102¼	
77	Do. 4 p.c. Rescessions	76	78	
80¼	Do. 5 p.c., 1909	81	83	
43	Brazil 4 p.c., 1889	42	44	
83	Do. Funding, 1908	82	84	
71	Do. 5 p.c., 1914	70	72*	
93¼	Chinese 5 p.c., 1896	92	94	
80	Do. 4½ p.c., 1898	79	81	
78¾	Do. 5 p.c., 1912	67	69	
99⅞	Czecho-Slovakia Bonds	99	101	
75¾	Egyptian Unified	75¾	76¼	+ ¼
21	French Loan	20¾	21¾*	
16	Do. 4 p.c.	16	17	
21/0	German 3 p.c.	1½	1¾	
20	Italian Rentes	18¾	20¾	
90¼	Japan 4 p.c., 1905	89	93	
78½	Do. New 6 p.c., 1907	77	79	
91⅞	Do. 6 p.c., 1924	91½	92⅛	
44	Mexican 5 p.c., 1899	43	45	
54	Do. 6 p.c. 10-Y. Treas.	45	55	
3½	Peruvian Corporation	3¾	4¼	
34¾	Do. Pref.	36¾	37¾	
99	Do. Deb.	98	100	
28	Portuguese 3 p.c.	24	26	
106¾	San Paulo 8 p.c.	106	108	
—	Spanish 4 p.c.	61	65	
60¼	Uruguay 3½ p.c.	61	62	

BRITISH RAILS.

110¼	Great Western	108¾	109½	
102½	Ldn. Mid. & Scot. Ord.	100¾	101¼	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	81	83	
—	Do. 4½ p.c. Red. Pref.	97	100	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pref.	97	100	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref., 1923	80	82	
82¼	Ldn. North-East. 5 p.c. Pref. Ord.	81¼	82	
30⅜	Do. Def. Ord.	29¾	30¼	
—	Do. 4 p.c. 1st Pref.	81	83	
—	Do. 4 p.c. 2nd Pref.	78	80	
77¾	Metropolitan	77½	78½	+ ½
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	99	101	
53¾	Do. District	53	54	
83¼	Southern Pref. Ord.	83	84	
43¼	Do. Def. Ord.	43	44	
41	Do. "A"	40¾	41¼	
10	Do. "B"	9½	10	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	100	102	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pf. '24	98	101	
2⅛	Underground Electric	2½	2⅝	
97	Do. Income Bonds	104	105	
105	Do. 6 p.c. Debs.	104	106	

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

88½	Antofagasta	88	90	
—	Argentine G.W. Ord.	79	81	
—	Bahia Blanca	83½	85½	
—	Brazil Railway Common	1	1¼	
85½	Buenos Ayres Gt. S.	83½	85½	
81¼	Buenos Ayres and Pacific	79	81	
79¾	Buenos Ayres and W.	77½	79½	+ ½
165	Canadian Pacific	164	166	
74¼	Central Argentine	73	75	
67½	Central Uruguay	68½	70½	− ½
—	Entre Rios	62	64	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	82	84a	
—	Grand Trunk 4 p.c. Guar.	18	20	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Perp. Deb.	62	64	
—	Grand Trunk Pac. Deb.	63	66	
29½	Leopoldina	28½	30	
9	Mexican Rails	9¼	10	+ ½
27	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	27	29	+ 1
15½	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	15	17	+ 1
1¼	Mexican Nat. 1st Pref.	4½	5½	+ ½
—	Mexican Nat. 2nd Pref.	1	2	
157	San Paulo Ord.	155	160*	
88¼	United Havana	85½	87½*	

a Ex on account of arrears.

AMERICAN RAILS.

—	Atchison	119	121	− 1
—	Baltimore	74	76	
—	Chesapeake	98	100	+ 2
—	Chicago, Milwaukee	18	20	+ ½
32½	Erie	33¼	34¼	
—	Do. 1st Pref.	43	45	
—	New York, Ontario	29	31	
79	Southern Common	79	81	
—	Do. Pref.	85	87	
—	Southern Pacific	109	111	+ 1
158¾	Union Pacific	158	160	

TELEGRAPHS.

24¼	Anglo-American Def.	24	24¼	
1⅝	Marconi Wireless Ord.	1⅛	1⅞	+ ⅛
1⅛	Do. Pref.	1⅛	1⅝	
—	Do. Debs.	103	105	
1⅛	Do. Marine	1	1⅛	
9 9	Do. Canada	5/10½	6/1½	
—	Oriental Telephone	1⅜	1⅝	
8½	Radio Corporation	8⅜	8⅞	+ ⅜
10½	Do. Pref. ($50)	10	10¾	− ⅛

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.

17/0	Allsopp £1 Shares	¾	⅞	
93	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	88	91	
—	Bass, Ratcliff 5 p.c. Pref.	90	93	
46/6	Do. Ord.	2⅛	2⅜	
492	Guinness	495	505	+ 5
—	Do. Pref.	115	120*	
—	Peter Walker Ord.	19/6	20/6	+ 0/6
40/6	South African Breweries	2	2⅛	
21/0	Walker (John) Pref.	20/6	21/6*	
183	Watney Combe Def.	198	203	+ 3

b Ex share bonus.

FOODSTUFFS AND STORES.

27/3	Aerated Bread	1¼	1⅜	+ 1/16
44/0	Bovril Def.	2⅛	2⅜	+ 1/16
28 9	Lipton	1⅛	1¼	
4⅛	Lyons (J.)	4¼	4½*	
—	Mackintosh (J.) Pref.	29 1½	29 7½	+ 0/4½
5 9	Maypole Def.	5 6	6/0	
—	Smithfield Arg. Meat	[illegible]	[illegible]	
1⅛	Spratt's Patent	1⅞	2	
—	Union Cold Storage Pref.	1	1⅛*	
1¼	Van Den Berghs	1⅛	1⅜	
—	Do. Pref.	4⅞	5⅛*	

IRON AND STEEL.

16/6	Armstrong (W. G.)	16/6	17/6	
11/3	Cammell Laird	11 0	12/0	
12 9	Dorman Long	13 0	14/0	+0/3
—	Furness Withy	35/0	37/0	
17/0	John Brown	16/3	17 6	
12/0	Do. (15/- paid)	[illegible]	[illegible]	− 1/16
22 6	Pease and Partners	1⅛	1⅜	
23/0	South Durham Steel	2⅛	2⅜	− 1/16
23/3	Siemens	1⅛	1⅜	
8 0	United Steel	7/3	8 3	
11 6	Vickers Ord.	12/0	13 0	+0/3
—	Weardale Iron C.P.O.	1⅛	1⅜	+ 1/16

LAND.

—	Aboukir Land	18/6	19/6	
9/6	Argentine Northern Land	[illegible]	[illegible]	
28/3	Do. Southern Land	1¼	1⅜	
⅛	B.N.B. Land	[illegible]	[illegible]	
24/0	Forestal Land	1⅛	1⅜	
5¾	Hudson's Bay Ord.	5⅝	5⅞	
10/6	Niger Pref.	[illegible]	[illegible]	+ 1/16
11/3	Pekin Syndicate	1⅛	1¼	
28/0	Rio Negro Lands	1⅜	1⅝	

NEWSPAPERS.

6	Assd. Newspapers Def.	6	6¼	
—	Daily Mail Deb.	108	108¾	
6⅛	Daily Mirror Ord.	6⅛	6⅜	
4⅞	Sunday Pictorial Ord.	86/0	87/0	+0/6

NITRATES.

23½	Alianza	23	24	
68/0	Anglo-Chilian Nitrate	67/0	69/0*	
8¾	Lautaro Nitrate	8½	9	+ ¼
40/6	Lagunas Nitrate	37/6	38/6	
77/0	Liverpool Nitrate	76/0	78/0	
71/6	London Nitrate	71/0	72/0	
36/6	Rosario Nitrate	35/6	35/6	−0/6
39/6	Santa Rita Nitrate	38/0	40/0	
71/3	Santiago Nitrate	3½	3⅝*	
16 6	Tarapaca Nitrate	16/0	17/0	

SHIPPING.

14/0	Cargo Fleet	[illegible]	[illegible]	+ 1/16
—	Court Line	32 9	33 3	
—	Cunard Ord.	19/6	20/6	
—	Elder Dempster 6 p.c. Pf.	19 3	20/3	+0/3
—	P. and O. Def.	313	323	
—	Royal Mail Ord.	95	100*	

TEXTILES AND STORES.

12/0	Amalgamated Cotton	11/0	12/0	
63/0	Bleachers	3⅛	3⅜	
82/0	Bradford Dyers	4⅛	4⅜	
8 6	British Celanese Ord.	8/1½	8/4½	
37/0	Calico Printers	1¾	1⅞	
64/3	Coats	3⅛	3⅜	
59 0	Courtaulds	2⅞	3⅛	
60/0	English Sewing Cotton	2⅞	3⅛	
56/3	Fine Spinners	2⅝	2⅞*	− 1/16
44/0	Harrods	2⅛	2⅜	
—	Linen Thread Ord.	2⅝	2⅞	
30/0	Lister Ord.	1⅜	1⅝	
—	Selfridge 6 p.c. Pref.	1⅛	1⅜	

MISCELLANEOUS INDUSTRIALS.

35/6	African and East. Trade	35 6	37/6	
3⅛	Anglo-Arg. Tram 1st Pf.	2⅞	3⅛	− 1/16
16/6	Associated Cement	16/0	17/0	
16/6	Do. Pref.	16/0	17/0	
43/0	Borax Con. Def.	2⅛	2⅜*	
58¼	Brazilian Traction	57	59	− 1
27/3	British Portland Cement	27/0	29/0	
—	British Glass	1/9	2/0	
13/3	B.S.A.	12/9	13/9	
22/6	British Oil and Cake	1⅛	1¼	
87¼	Brit. Col. Electric Rail.	87	89	
—	Do. 4½ p.c. Debs.	89	91*	
109/0	Brit.-Amer. Tobacco	109/0	111/6	+1/0
38 9	Brunner Mond	37/0	39/0	−0/3
42 0	Bryant and May	2	2⅛	
—	De La Rue Deb.	39½	40½	
10/6	Dunlop Rubber	10/0	10/6	
108½	Do. Deb.	108	110	
—	Do. Amer. Tire Deb.	98	100	
—	English Electric	18 6	20 0	
—	Finlay (James)	3⅛	3⅜	
21/6	General Electric Ord.	20 0	21/6	
—	Do. Debs.	104	107	
—	Gramophone Ord.	3⅛	3⅜	
83 6	Imperial Tobacco Ord.	84/0	85/6	+0/6
21/3	Lever 7 p.c. Pref.	21/0	21/6	
—	Lever 7 p.c. Debs.	107	109	
—	Lever 5 p.c. Debs.	98	100	
22	Mexican Trams	21	23	
—	Do. Bonds	73	77	
—	Do. L. and P. Bonds	79	82	
24/6	Nobel Ord.	23/6	24/6	
21/0	Do. Pref.	20/0	21/6	
—	Do. Def.	9/6	10/6	
2⅛	Parent Tyre Def.	2	2⅛	− 1/16
22/6	Do. Ord.	2⅛	2⅜	
33/0	Platt Bros. Ord.	32 6	34/6	
28/6	Rolls Royce	1⅜	1½	
1½	Salt Union	1½	1⅝	
97¼	San Paulo Tram Deb.	96	98	
—	Shawinigan Water Debs.	110	115	
—	Tilling Ord.	2⅞	3⅛	
—	Do. 5½ p.c. Cum. Pref.	2⅛	2⅜	
—	United Alkali	2⅛	2⅜	
24/0	Wallpaper Def.	23/9	24/6	

OILS.

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[illegible]

RUBBERS.

3/10¾	Un. Serdang	3 11¼
3⅜	United Sua Betong	67 6
14 0	Vallambrosa	14/0

Ampat	4/1¾ +0 1½	Membakut	14 0¾ −0 8¼
Anglo-Sum	57 4½ −3/1½	N. Hummock	19/3 +0 4½
Bah Lias	35/0	P.F.K.(C'y'n)	20 9
Batu Tiga	36/0	Pataling	19 9
B.N.B.R. Trst	11/3	Pegoh	37/6
Brieh	2 0*	Pilmoor	16/9
Bukit Clob	4 6¾	Rim Malacca	3/7½
Bukit Rajah	22/9 −0/9	Rub.E.Johore	23/0
Castlefield	4 9	Sapong	38 3 −0/6
Cheviot	3 1¼	Sapumalk'de.	21 6
Coely	4/7½ −0/1¾	Selangor	4/9¾ −0/3¾
Eastern Trust	16 6	Serdang C'nt'l	28/9
Gm. Ceylon	44/9 +0/9	Soember Ajoe	1/10½ +0/0½
Glenbervie	26/6	Sumatra Con.	23 9
Glenshiel	15/6	Sungei Buaya	35 0¾
Golden Hope	22 9	Sungei Choh	20/6
Java Amal.	27 0	Sungei Kapar	3/9
Kapar Para	40/0	Sungei Kr. Pf.	30 3
Kasintoe	20 0 −1/6	Taiping	1/8 −0/2
Kepitigalla	1/5¾	Tamiang	29/3 +0 3
Kombok	2/10½ −0/1	Tebrau	37 6
Langkat Sum	30/7½	Telogoredjo	44/3*
Ledbury	30/7½	Tempeh	1/9¼
Malacca deb.	97½	Un. Temiang	3/2
Manch'terN.B.	24/0	Yam Seng	2 5

* Ex div. † Ex rights. ‡ Cum div.

TEAS.

Amal. Estates	41⅝ + ⅜	Dooloogram	67/0 −0/7½
Anglo-Ceylon	53/3 +/10½	Doom Dooma	5⅜ + 1/16
Assam Co.	49/3 +1/0	E.I. & Ceylon	66/0 −0 4½
Assam Cons.	20/6 +0 3	E. Assam	72/6 +1 1½
Assam Front'r.	7⅛	East Produce	82/6 +0/9
Assam Dooars	50¼	Empire	91/1½ +0/7½
Aso.T.E.Cy'ln.	40/9 −1/0	Galaha Ceylon	43/6
Attaree Khat.	48/9	Imperial	49/1½ +/10½
Balijan	52/9	Imperial Ceylon	14/1½ +1/4½
Bargang	60/10½ +0/1½	Jetinga Valley	50/0
Borelli	97/9	Jhanzie	91/9 +0/3
Borhella	23 1/16	Jokai	94/6 +0/6
Bowlana	29/0	Jorehaut	94/10½ +/1½
Brahmapootra	33⅝ + ⅛	Longai Valley	54/6 +0/3
British Assam	5	Lungla	51/0 −0/3
Brit. Indian	96/4½ +0 4½	Lunuva	45/7½ −0/9
Budla Beta	7 1/16 + 1/32	Majuli	95/10 +2/6
Cachar&Do'ars	95/9	Moabund	80/1½ +2/1½
Ceylon Plant	5 7/32 + 1/32	Nodeem	85/6
Ceylon Prop.	58/0 −0/4½	NewSylhet	5⅜ + 1/32
Chargola	39/0 −0/9	Pandan	20/10½
Chubwa	100/0 −0 3	Peacock & Nil.	4/3½
Chulsa	66/6 +1/0	Poonmudi	4 4½
Con.Tea & L.	68⅛ + 1/16	Rosehaugh Cey	35/3
Darjeeling	39/9	Seph'juri Bheel	16 7½ −0/3
Ditto Cons.	73/1¼ +0/4½	Singlo	89/7½ +/10½
Dejoo	47/7½	Tea Corpn.	28/6 +0/6
Deundi	28/3 +1/0	Travancore	115/0 +1/6
Dimbula Valley	62/0	U. Planters.C.	73/0
Dooars	91 1½ +0/3		

INSURANCE SHARES.

BUSINESS DONE IN LONDON:—Alliance New, 15 15/16, 16 1/16; British General, 50/-, 3d., 49/4½, 50/6; Commercial Union, 22½; Cons. Assurance Ord. "A," 2/3; Eagle Star, 8⅝, 11/16, 21/32; Employers' Liability, 86/-, 9d., 10½d.; General Accident, 8 1/16, 1/32, 8; Gresham Fire, 22/3, 1/10½, 2/-; Guardian, £8 1/6, 8 1/16, 1/32, 8; Guardian Eastern, 9/1½, 3d.; London and Lancashire, 19⅞, £19 19/-; London Associated Reinsurance, 7/1½; London Assurance, 11 15/16, 12; Motor Union, 8 1/16; North British and Mercantile, 20½; Northern, 16¼, 15/16; Phœnix, 12 11/16; Prudential "A," 20½, 1/16, ⅛; do "B," 37/6, 4½d., 7/-, 3d.; Reinsurance Corporation, 20/6; Royal Exchange, 618½, 19; Royal Insurance, 30⅛, ¼; Scottish Union, 10⅝, ⅝; Sea Insurance, 75/-; Sun, 21 1/16; Sun Life, 35⅜, ⅜; United British, 37/-; Victory, 3/6; Western Alliance Reinsurance, 11/1½, 5½d., 6d., 6½d., 6d., 2½d., 7½d., 4½d., 9d.; World Auxiliary, 24/-, 3d., 3/3, 6d.; Provincial Insurance 7 p.c. Cum. Part. Pref., 24/3.

BUSINESS DONE IN LIVERPOOL:—Alliance, 15; ditto New, 16, 1/16; Caledonian, 15 15/16; Commercial Union, 22; Employers' Liability, 86/6, 3d., 5/9, 6/-; General Accident, 8 1/16; Guardian, 8, 7⅞; London and Lancashire, 20; London Assurance, 12; North British, 20, ⅛; Norwich Union, 255/9, 6/3; Royal Insurance, 30⅛, ¼, ⅛; ditto 4 p.c. Deb., 88, ½; Sea, 3⅛.

THE MONEY MARKET.

LOANS DEAR.

EXCHANGES DULL.

Money remained usable yesterday at 3¼ to 3½ per cent. for short loans, while occasionally borrowers paid up to 4 per cent. A further moderate amount was taken from the bank at 4½ per cent. for a week, and in the open market 7 day loans were in request at 3 per cent. and upwards. Fixtures were continued at 2¾ per cent. In the discount market there was a little more inquiry for bills, both 2 and 3 months maturities being quoted at 3¼ and 3⅝ per cent. Second-hand Treasuries were still offered at 3⅝ and 3¼ per cent., business being reported at the higher rate.

Bank Rate (Discount changed July 5, 1923), 4%

60 days (fine)	3⅞	3¾%	Trade	4	4¼%
3 months		3¾%		4	4½%
4 months	3¾	3⅞%		4½	5%
6 months		4%			
Loans to brokers day-to-day				4	3¼%
for a week				4	2¾%
Deposit allowance: Banks at call				2	%
Discount houses, at call				2	%
at notice				2¼	%

Gold was 2d. per oz. higher at 90s. Silver rose ⅛d. per oz. for both spot and forward delivery at 33 3/16d. and 33 11/16d. per oz. respectively.

Movements in foreign exchanges were on a small scale, with the tone rather dull. French francs further reacted to 87.80-87.90, Belgian francs moving in sympathy to 95.75-95.85. Sterling on New York was not quite so firm at 4.62⅝-4.62⅞ dollars, and automatically Dutch florins appreciated with the dollar to 11.50-11.50½. Italian lire were rather better at 106.70-106.75. South American exchanges showed little change. The following are closing quotations:—

—	November 25.		November 24.		Normal Rate
Alexandria	97⅛		97⅜		97½
Amsterdam	11.50	11.50¼	11.49¾	11.50¾	12.10
B. Ayres	44¾	44⅛	44¼	44⅜	47.58
Barcelona	33.88	33.92	33.82	33.84	25.22
Berlin	19.45	billions	19.40	billions	20.40
Bombay	1/6⅛	1/6⅛	1/6⅛	1/6⅛	2/0
Brussels	95.75	95.85	95.15	95.20	25.22½
Calcutta	1/6⅛	1/6⅛	1/6⅛	1/6⅛	2/0
Christiania	31.25	31.27	31.20	31.25	18.15
Copenhagen	26.34	26.42	26.28	26.32	18.15
Czecho-Slov	153	153¼	152½	153	—
Finland	183¾	184	183¾	184	25.22½
Greece	255	260	257	260	25.22½
Hong Kong	2/4⅞	2/5	2/4⅞	2/4⅞	—
Hungary	345,000		345,000		—
Italy	106.70	106.75	106.60	106.65	25.22½
Lisbon	2⅛	2⅜	2⅛	2⅜	53⅛d.
Madrid	33.87	33.91	33.78	33.80	25.22½
Mexico	2/1	sellers	2/1	sellers	24⅛d.
Montreal	4.62⅝	4.62⅞	4.62½	4.62⅞	4.86
Montevideo	50⅞	51⅛	50⅞	51	51d.
New York	4.62⅝	4.62⅞	4.61⅞	4.63⅛	4.86
Paris	87.95	87.97½	87.15	87.40	25.29
Poland	23.95	24.15	23.95	sellers	25.22½
RiodeJan.	5⅞	6⅛	5⅞	5⅞	16d.
Roumania	8.90	9.00	8.80	9.95	25.22
Shanghai	3/3⅞	3/4⅛	3/3¾	3/4⅛	—
Singapore	2/4⅛		2/4⅛		2/4⅛
Stockholm	17.20	17.23	17.20	17.22	18.15
Switzerland	23.96	23.97	23.92	23.94	25.22
Valparaiso	40.50		40.10		13.33
Vienna	327,500		328,500		—
Yokohama	1/8⅛	1/8⅛	1/7⅞	1/8	4.5

The death was announced at Liverpool yesterday of Mr. Joseph Lancaster, who until his retirement a few years ago was one of the best known Cunard pursers among Atlantic travellers. He was the first purser of the Lusitania, and remained on her for five years. Mr. Lancaster had the unusual distinction of possessing a master mariner's certificate.

LONDON MINING MARKET "SPOTTY."

ENCOURAGING RAND OUTLOOK.

Nothing of importance occurred yesterday to disturb the calm of the markets, but it was generally felt that the manner in which the Egyptian situation was being dealt with was calculated to restore confidence, not only to the Stock Exchange, but also to public investors and speculators. Here and there outside demand showed signs of expansion, but there was no great rush of business, and markets could only be described as "spotty," though the undertone kept quite firm. In the Mining sections Kaffirs held their ground, and once more there was an almost entire absence of real selling. Despite the mail news of Labour disaffection there is no doubt that the Rand industry is making steady progress and the outlook is encouraging. Central Mining were in good request, and Rand Mines, Randfontein, New State Areas, and several others were better, but Union Corporation again receded on realisations. There was some bear covering in West Springs, and the price rallied sharply, the options moving up sympathetically. South-West Africa were firm on the issue of the report. In both the Far Eastern and Western Rand development work and additions to plant are being pushed ahead on, among other properties, the Randfontein, Geduld, Brakpan, Government Areas, Modderfontein, Modder East, and Sub Nigel, and these are likely to be reflected in increased outputs and larger profits in the not distant future. Consolidated Mines Selection were strong, and H.E. Props. were a better market, but Robinson Deep "B" and Transvaal Development fell away. Considerable activity is again witnessed in the Rhodesian department, Chartered occupying a prominent place. The buying was of a persistent character, and, despite profit-taking, the shares were higher on balance. Rezende and Rhodesia Broken Hill moved up, and Selukwe enjoyed another very busy day. Diamonds presented quite a bright appearance. The price of tin dropped £2 1s. 3d. to £255 7s. 6d. per ton. Closing prices:—

SOUTH AFRICAN.

M.U. Nov. 17.			
1 5/32	Anglo-Amer. Corp.	1 5/32-1 3/16	
15/3	Anglo-French	15/0-15/6	
3¼	Brakpan	3⅛-3⅜	
11⅝	Cent. Min'g (£8)	11⅝ 11¾	+ 1/16
13/6	Central W'st(5/)	13 6 14/0	
3⅛	City Deep	3⅛ 3⅜	
20 0	Con. Goldfields	20/0-20 6	
13 9	Cons. Main Reef	13/7½-14/1½	
15 0	Cons. Selec. 10/	15 9-16 3	+0 6
2¾	Crown Mines(10/)	2⅝ 2⅞	
24 0	Durban Deep	24 6-25 0	
12 9	E. Rand Prop.	12/6-12/9	
3¼	Geduld	3⅛ 3⅜	
⅞	Gen. Mining	14 0 14 6	
11 9	G. M. Investment	12/3-12/9	
7⅛	Government Mines	7⅛ 7⅜	
12/9	H. E. Prop.	12 9 13 3	+0/3
37/0	Johan'burg I'vst.	36 3-36 9	−/1½
5/0	Kleinfontein	5/0 5 6	
17 3	Knight's	16 9 17 3	
22 9	Langlaagte Estate	22 0 22 6	
3⅛	Meyer & Charlton	3⅛-3⅜	
4⅜	M'derfontein (10/)	4⅜-4⅝	
23/1½	Modder B (5)	1⅛ 1 3/16	
2⅜	Modder Deep (5/)	2¼-2⅜	
1⅜	Modder East	1 5/16-1⅜	+ 1/32
1⅜	New State Areas	1⅜ 1 13/32	+ 1/32
6/6	Nigel	7 0-8/0	
9 9	Nourse Mines	9 3-9 9	+0/3
2⅜	Rand Mines (5)	2 13/32-2 15/32	+ 1/32
21 0	Randfontein	21 0 21 6	+0/3
1⅜	Rob'son D A (1/)	1⅛-1 5/32	
39 0	Robinson Dp. B.	38 3 38/9	−0/3
13/6	Rose Deep	13/0 13/6	
11/3	Sabie (5/-)	11/3½-6½	+/2¼
1⅛	S.A. Gold Trust	[illegible]	
2⅜	Springs Mines	2¼-2⅜	
12/6	Sub Nigel	12/3 12/9	
3⅛	Trans. and Del. B.	3⅛-3 3/16	
24/0	Trans-Con. L(10)	24 3-24 9	
4⅜	Union Corp(12/6)	44/6 45/0	−0/3
25/3	Van Ryn	24/9-25/3	
3⅛	Van Ryn Deep	3⅛-3 3/16	
22/6	Vereeniging	22/6-23/0	
13/3	Village Deep	12/6 13/0	
24/9	West Springs	23/9-24/3	+0/6
4/9	Do. Options	3/9 4/3	+4½
1⅛	Wit'ersrand Deep	17/9-18/9	−0/3

RUSSIAN.

7/0	Lena Gold	6/6-7/6
4/3	RussoAsiat.Cns.	4/10½ 5/1½
4/3	Russian Mining	3 6-4 6
¾	Siberian Props.	5/0-6 0
⅛	Spassky	⅛-⅜

RHODESIAN.

M.U. Nov. 17.			
6/3	Bechuanaland Ex.	6/3 6/9	
2⅝	Cam and Motor	2⅝-2⅞	
11/6	Chart'd B.S.A.	13/1½-13 4½	+0/3
3/1½	Falcon	2/6-3/0	−0 3
22/3	Gaika Gold	21/3-21/9	−0/3
13/6	Globe & Phœnix (5/)	11/6-12/0	−0/6
6/6	Gold F. Rho. (10/)	6/0-6/6*	
1	Lonely Reef	⅞-1	
2⅛	Rezende	2-2¼	+ ⅛
4/7½	R. Broken Hill (5/)	4/7½-/10½	+/1½
13/3	Selukwe (2/6)	13/6-14/0	−0/3
1⅛	Shamva Mines	1⅛-1⅜	
4⅛	Sherwood Starr	3⅞-4⅛	
28/3	Tanganyika	28/9-29/3	
40/9	Vic. Falls Ord	2-2⅛	
31/0	do. Pref.	32/0-33/0	+0/3
16/3	Wankie Col. 10/	15/9-16/9	
4/10½	Willoughby	4 9-5 3	
19/3	Zambesia Expl.	19/9-20/3	

DIAMOND.

¾	Angola Diamond	¾-1	+ 1/16
⅞	Con. D. S. W. A.	18/7½-19/1½	+/1½
11⅝	De Beers Def.	12-12⅛	+ 1/16
11⅛	do. Pref.	11⅛-11¼	
2⅜	Jagersfontein	2⅜-2½	
7 0	N. Val. River	⅞-1⅛	
7	Premier Pf. 5/-	6⅞-7⅛	
—	West African	13/0-13/6	+0/6

AUSTRALIAN.

19 0	Amal. Zinc	1⅛-1¼	+ 1/16
13/3	Associated	12/9-13/3	
27/0	Broken Hill Prop	26 6-28 6	
3⅛	B. Hill Sth. New	2⅛-2¼	− 1/16
1⅛	Electro Zinc Pref	1⅛-1⅜	
15/6	Ivanhoe	15/6-16/6	
19 3	Lake View 10/-	18 6-19/6	
4⅛	North Broken Hill	4⅛-5⅛	+ 1/16
15 3	Sulphide Ord.	14/3-15/3	
12 6	South Kalgurli	12/6-13/6	
27 6	Zinc Ord. (10/-)	28 9-29 9	+0/3
3⅛	do. Pref.	3-3⅛	

WEST AFRICAN.

12/6	Ashanti Gold 4/	12/0-12/6	−0/3
9/6	Fanti Cons. 8/).	9/0-9/6	−0/3
16/3	Gold Coast Amal.	15/6-16 0	
4/1½	Taquah & Abosso	4/0-4/6	

TIN.

M.U. Nov. 17.			
16/0	Anglo-Con. (10/-)	15/9-16/3	
3⅝	Aramayo Mines	3⅝ 3⅞	
9 9	Bisichi	9/3-9/9	−0/3
5/3	East Pool (5/)	5/6-6/0	
2⅜	Gopeng	2⅛-2⅜	
31/0	Ipoh	31/3-32/3	+0/3
18 0	Kaduna Synd (5).	17/3-18/3	−0/3
2⅛	Kamunting	2⅛-2⅜	
1⅞	Kramat Pulai	1⅞-2⅛	
2⅞	Malayan T.D.	2¾-3	+ 1/16
16/9	Mongu	15/6-16/0	−0 3
22/0	Naraguta	21/6-22/6	−0/3
11/0	Pahang (5/-)	10/9-11/3	
1⅛	Rambutan	1⅛-1⅛*	
1⅛	Renong	1⅛-1⅜	
15/3	Ropp (4/ Shs)	14/9-15/3	
4	Siamese	3⅞-4⅛	− 1/16
7/9	South Bukeru	7/6-8/6	−0/3
30/6	Tavoy	29/6-30/6	−0/6
2⅜	Tronoh	2⅜-2⅜	− 1/32

COPPER.

⅞	Arizona (5/-)	¾-⅞	
⅝	Mount Elliott (£5)	⅝-¾	
8/9	Mount Morgan	8/6-9/6	
22/6	Mount Lyell	22/9-23/9	
1⅛	Namaqua	1⅛-1⅜	
35⅛	Rio Tinto (£5)	35⅛-35⅜	
12/0	S. American (2/).	11/3-11/9	−0/3

MISCELLANEOUS.

24/6	Bingo Pref.	⅞-1	− 1/16
14/0	Brit. Platinum	14/0-14/6	+0/3
15/9	Burma Corp.	15/3-15/9	+0/3
7/0	Champion Reef	6/9-7 3	
1⅛	Chosen Synd "A"	1⅛-1⅜	
—	Colombian Props	19/6-20/0	
4/0	Corderoy Synd.	3/9-4/3	
2⅛	Huronian Belt	2¾-2⅞	− ¼
10 0	Keeley Silver	9/6-10/0	
8/6	Kirkland Lake	7/9-8/3	
4⅞	Mexico Mines	4⅜-4⅝	− 1/16
	Minerals Separ't'n	4 4⅛	
11/9	Min. Grp. of Can.	10/9-11/3	
11/9	Mysore 10/-	11/6-12/6	
6 6	Nat. Min. (f.p.)	6/1½-6/4½	
7/9	Nundydroog	7/3-8/3	
13/1½	Ooregum	12/6-13/6	
9 6	Oroville	8/9-9 3	
13/0	Porcupine Gold	⅝-¾	
10/3	St. John Del Rey.	19/0-20/0	
24 6	San Francisco 10/.	24/0-24/6	−0 3
9/0	Santa Gertrudis	9/3-0/9	+0/6
—	S. Amer. G. Areas	⅞-1	
5/6	Vipond	5/0-5/6	
1⅛	Waihi Gold	1⅛-1⅜	

* Ex. Dividend. † Ex. Rights.

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following dealings among active stocks and shares were "marked" in London yesterday:—

Consols—58⅛, 8, 7⅞, 15/16, 8 1/16, 1/16, 8 1/16, 7⅞, 8 1/16. **3½ p.c. War Loan**—96⅞, 15/16, ⅞, 15/16. **4½ p.c. War Loan**—97⅛, 1/16. **5 p.c. War Loan**—101⅛, 1/16, 1/16, 1/16, 1/16, 3/32. **4 p.c. War Loan**—100⅜, ⅜, 5/16, ⅜, 5/16, 11/32, 13/32. **Funding Loan**—89⅝, ½, 90, 89⅞, 15/16, 15/16, 15/16. **Victory Bonds**—93⅛, ⅛, 3/16, 1/16, 1/16. **Conversion Loan 3½ p.c.**—78 15/16, 9, 8 15/16, ⅞, *9 1/16; do. 4½ p.c.—98⅞, ½, 9, 8⅞, ⅞, 15/16. **India 4½ p.c.**—86⅞, 7⅛, ⅛, *7⅛, 6⅞. **Australia 6 p.c. Stock**—105⅞, ⅞, 15/16, ⅞; do. 5 p.c. Stock—101⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Japan 6 p.c. Sterling**—92⅛, ⅛, 1/16, 1⅛, 2 1/16, 2⅛. **Aerated Bread**—28/1½, 7/9, 8/-, *7/6, 8/4½, 3d. **African and Eastern**—36/-, 4½d., 1½d., 7½d., 9d., 6/-. **Amalgamated Cotton**—11/6, 7½d., 9d., 8½d., 7½d., 6½d. **Amalgamated Press**—47/3, 6/7½, 9d., 7/-. **Anglo-Ceylon Rubber**—53/3. **Anglo-Dutch Rubber**—44/10½, 6d., *3d., 3d. **Armstrong**—*65/3½. **Assoc. Cement**—16/3, 7½d., 6d., 10½d., 9d. **Assoc. Newspapers Def.**—6 1/16, 1/16, ⅛, £6 3/6, 6⅛, 1/16, 11/16, 3/16, 17-64. **Baldwins Ord.**—14/3. **Barclays Bank "A"**—8 9/16, ⅝; do. "B"—55/9, 6d., 7½d., 3d., 7½d. **Bovril Def.**—46/3, 6d., 6/-, 5/9, 7/-. **Brazilian Traction**—57⅛, 8⅛, 7⅛. **British-American Tobacco**—109/3, 6d., 10½d., 10/-, 9/9, 10/6, 9/3, 9d. **British Oil and Cake**—24/6, 3d., 4/-, 4½d., 7½d., 1½d. **British Overseas Bank**—5 5/16. **Brunner Mond**—38/-, 6d., 7/10½, 8/4½. **Bryant and May**—51/3. **Buenos Ayres Great Southern**—84½, 3½, 4½, ½, ½, ⅛, 3⅞, 4⅛. **Buenos Ayres Western Ord.**—78½, ½, 7⅞, 8½. **Buenos Ayres Pacific**—79½, 80, 79⅞, 80½, 79⅞, ⅞, 80. **Calico Printers**—36/10½, 9d., 4½d., 6d. **Canadian Pacific**—166, 5⅞, ½, 6⅛, 5 1/16, 15/16, ⅞. **Central Argentine Cons.**—73 5/16, ⅝, ⅝, ⅞, 3⅛, 3⅞. **Coats**—64/3, 4/-, 3/9. **Cook (St. Paul's) Ord.**—22/3, 1/10½; do. Part. Pref.—23/3. **Courtaulds**—59/10½, 9d., 60/-, 59/7½, 6d., *60/1½; do. 5 p.c. Pref.—18/10½, 9½d., 9d., 7½d., 6½d., 8½d., 10½d., 6d., 7½d., *6/-. **Crosse and Blackwell**—2/9, 8½d. **Crosses and Winkworth Pref.**—11/3, 11/-, 4½d., ¾d. **Cunard Ord.**—19/9, *6d., 20/-, 19/10½; do. Debs.—103½. **Daily Mail Trust Debs.**—*107½, *5, *8, *6½, *6, 8½, ½. **Daily Mirror Ord.**—6⅛, 5/16, 39-64, 11/32, 3/16, 13/32, 5/16. **Dorman Long**—13/3, 6d., 7½d., 5½d. **Dunlop Ord.**—10/6, 3d., 4½d., *10/-, 5½d., 6½d., 3½d., 4½d.; do. Debs.—108½, 8⅞; do. 8 p.c. C Pref.—23/3½, *4½d., 3/-, 3d., 4½d., 1½d. **Edison Swan**—6/4½, 3½d. **Elder-Dempster 6 p.c. Pref.**—20/-, 19/9, 7½d. **English Sewing Cotton**—60/1½, 60/-, 6d. **Fine Cotton Spinners**—55/-, 6d. **Forestal Land**—24/1½, 3/9, 4/-. **General Electric Ord.**—21/-, 20/7½, 11½d., 10½d., 9d., *6d. **German 3 p.c.**—28/6, 9/-, 6d., 30/-; do. 3½ p.c.—19/6, 20/-, 20/6, 9d., 3d., 1/6, 20/-; do. 4 p.c.—22/-; do. 7 p.c. External Loan, 1924—98⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 1/16, 8 1/16, ⅛; do. issued at 92 (£30 paid)—36, 5⅛, 6 1/16, ⅛, 1/16, 1/16, 1/16, ⅛. **Grand Central Rubber**—22/9, 3/-. **Grand Trunk Pacific 4 p.c. Debs.**—64½, 3, 2½, 3½, ½. **Great Western Rail.**—109½, ½, ⅛, 8⅞, 9⅞, ½; do. 5 p.c. Pref.—103½, ½, ½, 2⅞, 3⅛. **Guinness Ord.**—495, 8. **Harland and Wolff 6 p.c. Pref.**—18/3, 17/7½, 18/1½, 18/-, 17/10½, 18/-, 1½d. **Harrod's Ord.**—44/4½, 3d. **Highlands Rubber**—38/4½, 6d. **Hudson's Bay Ord.**—5⅜, 11/16. **Hungarian 7½ p.c. 1924**—93½, ⅜, ⅜, ½, ⅜, 11/16, ⅝, ½, ⅝. **Imperial Tobacco**—84/1½, 3d., 3/9, 4/7½, 4/-, *6d., *3d., 3/6, 9d.; do. Canada—27/4½. **Jute Industries**—6/10½, 7/-, 6/9. **Kassala Cotton**—16/9, 17/1½. **Lever 7 p.c. Pref.**—21/6, 4½d., 3d., *1/-, 7½d., 3½d.; do. 8 p.c. Pref.—21/6, 8½d., 10½d., 7½d., 9d., 6½d., 6d., 6½d.; do. 7 p.c. Debs.—108½. **Linggi Rubber**—38/-, 6/6, 3d., 8/1½, 7/1½. **Lipton Ord.**—28/7½, *7/6. **Lister Ord.**—30/10½, 1/-, 4½d., 10½d., 1/3, 30/9, 7½d., 1/-. **Lloyds Bank**—61/4½, 1/-, 3d. **London Asiatic Rubber**—3/10, 11d., 4/-, 3/11. **London, Midland and Scottish Ord.**—101⅛, 1/16, 100⅞, 1½, 1, *100⅞, ⅞, ⅞, *101, 1⅛, 1/16. **London and North-Eastern Pref. Ord.**—81⅜, *⅜, 2⅛, 2⅛, 1⅞, 2 1/16, ⅛; do. Def. Ord.—30⅛, *30, ⅛, ⅛, 30. **Lyons (J.) and Co. Ord.**—93/1½; do. 7 p.c. Pref.—24/1½, 3d. **Malayalam Rubber**—38/10½, 6d., 9d., 3d., 7½d., 9½d., 3½d., 9d. **Marconi Ord.**—32/3, 6d., 9½d., 4½d., 2/3; do. Pref.—27/6, 8/1½, 9/4½; do. Marine—20/7½, 1½d., 1/-; do. Canada—5/11½, 9d., 6/1½, 5/9⅛, 8½d., 5/9, 11½d. **Maypole Def.**—5/9½, 8½d., 9d., 9½d. **Metropolitan Rail.**—78, 7⅞, 1/16, ⅛, ½. **Metropolitan District**—53½. **Midland Bank**—8 11/16, ⅝, 11/16. **Nat. Prov. Bank (£3½)**—9 13/16, 15/16; do. (£4)—11 11/16, 11/16, 5/16, *5/16, 5/16, ⅜, 5/16. **Nestle 8 p.c. Pref.**—24/1½. **Niger 8 p.c. Pref.**—16/-, 3d., 16/-. **Nobel Indus.**—24/9, 3d., *1½d.; do. Pref.—21/1½, 20/10½, *9d.; do. Deferred—*9/7½. **Prussian Consols, 3½ p.c.**—28/1½, *7/6, 5/6, 9d., 7/9, 8/-. **Peruvian Corp. Pref.**—36⅜, 7⅛, 7 1/16, 6⅞, 7⅛, 6 15/16, 7 1/16, 6⅞. **Platt Bros. Ord.**—33/1½, 3d. **P. and O. 5 p.c. Debs.**—101, 100½, 100. **Prov. Cinema Theatres**—6/7½, 7/3, 6/7½. **Radio Corp. Com.**—9 1/16, 8⅞, 15/16, ⅞; do. Pref.—10⅛, 1/16. **Rubber Trust**—33/1½, 2/10½, 3/-, 3d., 2/9, *6d. **Selfridge Ord.**—28/9, 10½d., 9d.; do. Pref.—24/6, 3d., 7½d., 4½d., 6d. **Smithfield and Argentine**—16/3. **Southern Rail. Pref. Ord.**—83⅛, ⅛, 3⅛, ⅞, ⅛, ½; do. Def. Ord.—43⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 1/16, 3; do. Ord. "A"—*40⅛, ⅛, ⅛; do. Ord. "B"—*9⅛. **Southern Railway 5 p.c. issued at 99½ (partly paid)**—1⅛, ⅛, 1/16, 1/16 prem. **Sudan Plantations**—6⅞, 11/16, 11/16, 11/16, 11/16, 11/16, 11/16, 15/16. **Sudan Government 4 p.c., 1974, issued at 86 (partly paid)**—1⅞, 15/16, 2 1/16, ⅛, 1/32 prem. **Sunday Pictorial Ord.**—86/10½, 3d., 5/7½, 5/-, 7/2½, 8/1½, 7/6, 5/-. **Swedish Match "B"**—9 1/16, 1/16, ⅛, 1/16, 1/16, ⅛, £9 1/-. **Turkish Unified**—16, 15⅞, ⅞. **Underground Elec.**—53/9, 4/4½. **Underground Income Bonds**—105⅛, 5. **Union Cold Storage 6 p.c. Pref.**—21/3, *20/1½, 1/1½, 1/-. **United Dairies**—36/1½, 5/9, 10½d., 9d. **United of Havana Rail.**—86⅛, 5⅞, 6, 5⅞, ⅞, ⅛, 6, 5⅞. **United Premier Oil and Cake Ord.**—14/9½, 7½d., 6d., 4½d., 3d. **United Serdang Rubber**—4/0½, 4/-, 3/9. **United Tobacco**—86/3. **Vickers**—12/6, 7½d., 1½d., 3d., 4½d., 8½d., *11/6, 12/3, 4½d. **Walker (Peter) "B" Pref.**—20/-. **Watney Combe Def.**—198, 9½, 200, 197½, 7½, 8½, ½, 7½, 9. **Westminster Bank**—18⅛, 17 15/16, 18 1/16, 1/16, 1/16, ⅛, £18 1/-. **White, Tomkins Ord.**—25/6. **Whiteley (Wm.)**—76/-, 6d. **Workman Clark Debs.**—35½, 6, 5, ½, 5.

MINES.

Akim—12/1½, 3d., 11/9. **Anglo-American Corp.**—25/9, 6/3, 5/11½, 6/-. **Brakpan**—77/6, 6/6⅞. **British South Africa (Chart.)**—13/-, 12/9¼, 9d., 8½d., 10½d., 13/0½, *12/6, 11½d., *12/-, 7½d., *3d., *9/3, 12/9½. **Cam. and Motor**—53/9, 5½d., 1½d. **Central Mining**—11 11/16, ⅞. **Chosen Syndicate**—35/7½, 6/3, 6d., 6/-, 6½d., 5½d., 1½d., 4½d., 5/11½, 6/3½, 10½d., 5/3½, 10½d. **City Deep**—69/4½, *7/6, 8/1½, 9/-. **Cons. Diamond Mines S.W. Africa**—18/9, 10½d., 19/-, 18/9½. **Consol. Gold Fields**—20/3½, 20/-, *19/6, 20/3. **Consol. Main Reef**—13/8½, 6d., 9d., *6d., 10½d. **Consol. Mines Selection**—15/9½. **Corderoy Synd.**—4/-, 3/10½. **Durban Rood. Deep**—24/10½. **East Rand Prop.**—12/1½, *12/-, 4½d., 3d., 6d., *3d., 9d., 7½d., 8½d., 5½d. **Geduld**—65/-, 4/4½, 6/3½, 7½d. **General Mining**—14/0½, 13/10½, 14/-, 3d. **Government Areas**—7 1/16, ⅛. **Huronian Belt**—57/6, 6/10½. **Johannesburg Invest.**—*35/6, 6/5½, 1½d., 6d., 7½d., 4½d. **Kirkland Lake**—8/3, 8/-, 7/9. **Langlaagte**—22/6, 2/-, 4½d. **Minerals Separation**—83/9, 5/-, 2/6. **Modderfontein "B" (5/- shares)**—*28/1½, 8/-, 1½d. **Modderfontein Deep (5/- shares)**—45/7½. **Modderfontein East**—19/0½, 18/9. **Mount Lyell**—23/-. **New Kleinfontein**—5/3, *5/-, *4/3. **New Modderfontein**—83/4½, 9d., 5/3½, *4/0½, 3/3, 1/10½. **New State Areas**—37/6, *3/9, 7/2½. **Nourse**—9/4½. **Pengkalen**—37/6. **Rand Mines**—57/10½, 6d., 8/-. **Randfontein Estates**—20/9, 1/1½, 20/10½. **Robinson Deep "B"**—38/1½, 3d., 7½d., 6d. **Ropp Tin**—15/-, 14/9, 15/1½, 14/10½. **Rose Deep**—*13/-, 3d. **Russo-Asiatic**—5/0½, 1½d. **Selukwe Gold**—13/9, 6d., 10½d., 14/-, 13/7½. **South American Copper**—11/6, 4½d. **Springs**—55/7½, 3d. **Union Corporation**—44/9, 5/-, 4/7½. **Van Ryn**—*24/3, 8/-, 4/10½, 9d. **Van Ryn Deep**—79/4½, 80/-. **Village Deep**—12/7½, 10½d., 9d. **West Springs**—23/6, 7½d., 10½d., 9d., 6½d., 8½d. **Zinc Corporation**—29/1½, 8/10½, 9/-, 6d., 4½d., 8/9, 9/9.

OILS.

Anglo-American Ord.—72/6, 3/9, 5/-. **Anglo-Ecuadorian**—49/0½, 50/-, 49/4½. **Anglo-Persian Ord.**—*55/7½, 7/6, 9d., 8/1½; do. 8 p.c. Pref.—24/6, 3d., 4½d., 5½d. **British Controlled Com.**—13/9⅛, 9d., 10½d., 11½d., *14/-; do. Pref.—14/8½, 2½d., 3d., 4½d., 3½d., 6d. **Burmah**—5 1/16, *⅛, ⅛, *1/16. **Caltex**—2/2½, 3d., 4½d., 6d., 5½d., 4d., 5d. **Kern River**—14/1½, 9d., 9½d. **Lobitos**—*9 11/16, 10, 9 15/16. **Mexican Eagle Ord.**—18/10½, 19/3, 18/6, 9d., 19/-, 1½d., 18/7½; do. 7 p.c. 1st Pref.—14/4½, 14/-, 1½d., 3d., 5½d., 6d. **Phœnix Oil**—20/5½, 6d., 9d., 7½d. **Royal Dutch**—29⅛, ⅛, ¼, 1/16. **Shell**—83/9, 5½d., 4/0½, 3/1½. **Trinidad Leaseholds**—36/3, 5/7½. **V.O.C. Holdings**—53/9, 5½d., *2/6, 3/5½, 4/0½; do. Pref.—50/-.

TEAS.

Amalgamated Estates—42, 1⅛, 2, 1½, ⅛. **Anglo-Ceylon**—53/3. **Assam Company**—49/-, 9d., 8/9, 50/-, 49/6, 8/6, 10½d., 9d., 9/9, 6d., 3d., 8/6, 9d., 9/3, 6d. **Assam Cons.**—20/3, 4½d., 6d., 9d., 7½d., 3d. **Assoc. Tea Estates, Ceylon**—40/9. **Bargang**—61/3, 60/6. **Brahmapootra**—33⅞, ⅞. **British Indian**—96/9, 6/-. **Budla Beta**—7 1/16. **Ceylon Plant**—5 1/16, 1/16, ⅛, 1/16, ⅛. **Ceylon Prop.**—58/6, 7/6, 8/-. **Chargola**—38/3, 9/3, 6d., 9/-, 8/6, 9/3, 9/-, 8/6, 9/3, 8/6. **Chubwa**—5. **Chulsa**—66/6. **Cons. Tea and Lands**—*68⅛, 8⅛, 9⅛, 9, 8⅞. **Darjeeling**—38/6, 40/-; do. Consol.—72/-, 4/-, 3/-, 6d., *4½d. **Deundi**—28/6, 8/-, 3d., 9d., 7/9, 8/3. **Dimbula Valley**—62/-. **Dooars**—90/6, 1/6, 9d., 1/-. **Dooloogram**—67/-. **Doom Dooma**—5 3/32, 11/32, 13/32, £5 11/6. **East India and Ceylon**—66/-. **Eastern Assam**—72/6. **Eastern Produce**—82/6, 3/-, 2/-, 6d. **Empire**—92/9, 1/9, 6d., 2/9, 6d. **Galaha Ceylon**—43/9, 3/-, 6d., 4½d. **Imperial**—58/10½, 9/3. **Imperial Ceylon**—41/9, 40/6, *6d. **Jhanzie**—92/-, *90/6, 1/9, 6d. **Jokai**—90/6, 95/-, 4/9, 4/-, 4½d., 6d., 3d., 5/-. **Jorehaut**—94/6, 5/6, 3d., 4/7½, 4/-, 6d. **Longai Valley**—54/9, 3d. **Lungla**—51/-, 6d., 50/9, 6d., 1/3, 9d., 50/9, 4½d., 1/1½, 3d. **Lunuva**—46/-, 5/3. **Majuli**—95/9, 5/-, 6/-, 3d., 9d., 5/9. **Moabund**—80/6, 80/-, 79/6, 4½d., 80/-, 79/-, 81/-, 80/3, 79/10½. **New Sylhet**—5 5/32, ⅛, ⅛. **Pandan**—21/3, 1/-, 20/9, 1/3, 20/6. **Peacock and Nilambe**—4/4, 2½d. **Poonmudi**—4/3½, 6d. **Rosehaugh Ceylon**—35/3. **Sephinjuri Bheel**—16/3, 9d., 6d., 7½d. **Singlo**—89/9, 90/-, 89/-, 6d. **Tea Corporation**—28/7½, 3d. **Travancore**—5 13/16, 11/16, £5 14/6, 5 11/16.

(*Exceptional bargain at special price.)

DUBLIN SHIPPING REPORT.

Wind and Weather—S to S.S.E. wind, strong breeze; overcast and showery.

Foreign Arrivals—S.s. Trito, of Rotterdam (373 tons register), Captain Bos, from Rotterdam, with a general cargo, discharged at Shelter Sheds, North Wall Extension, and proceeded to Belfast with part cargo; s.s. Wicklow Head, of Belfast (830 tons register), Captain Bingham, from Bremen, via Cork, with a general cargo, discharging at Shelter Sheds, North Wall Extension.

Coastwise Arrivals—S.s. Slieve Gallion, s.s. Slievemore, from Holyhead, with goods; s.s. Lady Brussels, from Preston, with goods; s.s. Lady Louth, from Liverpool, with goods; s.s. Olive, from Heysham, with goods; s.s. Moorfowl, from Glasgow, with goods; s.s. Lady Wicklow, from Manchester, with goods; s.s. Stainburn, from Whitehaven, with coals; s.s. Glencullen, from Partington, with coals; s.s. Puffin, s.s. St. Fintan, from Garston, with coals; s.s. Tynan, from Maryport, with coals; s.s. Alyn, from Preston, with coals; s.s. Achill, from Ardrossan, with coals; s.s. Mango, s.s. Kyanite, from Newport, with coals.

Foreign Departure—S.s. Stor, of Hamburg (348 tons register), Captain Warkall, for Belfast, with part cargo (general).

Coastwise Departures—S.s. Slieve Bawn, s.s. Slieve Gallion, for Holyhead, with goods; s.s. Olive, for Heysham, with goods; s.s. Moorfowl, for Glasgow, with goods; s.s. Lady Louth, for Liverpool and Birkenhead, with live stock and goods; s.s. Thelma, s.s. Gracehill, for Garston, light; s.s. Beechfield, s.s. Carnalea, s.s. Glenageary, for Partington, light; s.s. Topaz, for Penmaenmawr, light; s.s. Alder, for Newport, light; s.s. Mayflower, for Llandulas, light.

LLOYD'S MAIL NEWS.

ABINSI, for Liverpool, left Accra 22.
ALAMBA, London for Calcutta, called Aden 24.
APPAM, from Liverpool, arrived Sierra Leone 23.
ASTRONOMER, Liverpool for Calcutta, left Suez 24.
AUTARO, for London, left Cristobal 20.
ATHENIC, from London, arrived Auckland 24.
BADAGRY, from Cardiff, arrived Sierra Leone 23.
BARRACOO, for Liverpool, left Sierra Leone 22.
BATHURST, from Liverpool, arrived Lagos 22.
BERBY arrived Hull 25.
BIAFRA, for the United Kingdom, left Duala 22.
BOTHWELL, for London, left Quebec 23.
BRITON, from Southampton, arrived Table Bay 24.
CAMERONIAN, from the Clyde, arr. New York 23.
CARLOW CASTLE, Beira for London, arr. Algoa Bay 23.
CEDRIC, from Liverpool, arrived New York 23.
CERAMIC, Sydney for London, arr. Port Natal 24.
CITY OF VENICE, for London, left Calcutta 24.
CORINTHIC, for Wellington, left Gravesend 25.
CORONADO, for Jamaica, left Avonmouth 24.
CRAFTSMAN, for Liverpool, left Galveston 22.
DAKARIAN, for Liverpool, left New Orleans 23.
DAYTONIAN, from Boston, arrived Liverpool 25.
DORIC, for Liverpool, left Quebec 23.
DRAMATIST, from Karachi, arrived Manchester 24.
EDINBURGH CASTLE, Natal for Southampton, called Algoa Bay 23.
EGORI, for Liverpool, left Accra 23.
ELYSIA, from Bombay, arrived Liverpool 25.
GASCON, for London, left Table Bay 23.
GOORKHA, from London, arrived Algoa Bay 24.
HAKOZAKI MARU, from London, arrived Kobe 24.
HIGHLAND LOCH, London for River Plate, left Vigo 24.
HOGARTH, for Liverpool, left Monte Video 22.
HUANCHACO, from London, arrived Corral 24.
LACONIA, from Liverpool, arrived New York 24.
LANCASHIRE, from London, arrived Rangoon 23.
LEVIATHAN, for New York, left Southampton 25.
MELFORD HALL, from New York, arrived Hull 24.
MERKARA, Calcutta for London, left Port Said 24.
MIAMI, for Garston, left Kingston 24.
MINNETONKA, from London, arrived New York 25.
MOLIERE, from Zante, arrived Gravesend 25.
MORVADA, Karachi for London, called Plymouth 25.
NELLORE, London for Calcutta, left Malta 24.
NESSIAN, from Manchester, arrived New York 23.
NICHTEROY, from Liverpool, arr. Los Angeles 22.
NITONIAN, from Liverpool, arrived Kingston 24.
ORANJE NASSAU, from Cristobal, arr. Plymouth 24.
ORCOMA, Liverpool for Valparaiso, arr. Santander 24.
PAKEHA, London for Port Chalmers, arr. Colon 23.
SHONGA, from Abonema, arrived Hull 25.
SIRIS, for Liverpool, left Pernambuco 22.
STUDENT, from Liverpool, arrived Algoa Bay 23.
TAJIMA MARU, for the Clyde, left Hong Kong 25.
TREGARTHEN, Karachi for London, left Oran 24.
TURCOMAN, for Avonmouth, left Quebec 23.
VIRGILIA, for London, left New York 22.
WINIFREDIAN, for Liverpool, left Halifax 23.

FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

WIRELESS IN FRANCE.

The French Government intends taking over shortly the monopoly of wireless telephony and telegraphy, which is at present in the hands of private enterprise. This intention has caused a great sensation in the interested circles. M. Paul Lafont (a former Postmaster-General) declares that such a change will provoke a big debate in Parliament.

ANGLO-ARGENTINE TRAM RIGHTS.

Regarding the announcement that the Municipality of Buenos Ayres has declined to sanction an increase in tariffs of the Anglo-Argentine Tramways Co., Ltd., and declares its concession to build subways has lapsed, the board are advised that the declaration violates the company's concession, and is not legally effective. The board are taking steps to protect the rights of the shareholders under the terms of the concession.

JAMES NIMMO CAPITAL.

The directors of James Nimmo and Co., Ltd., propose to increase the capital of the company to £625,000 by the creation of 375,000 new Ordinary shares of £1 each, and to offer 125,000 of these at 40s. per share to the Ordinary shareholders on the register at December 18 next. The present authorised capital of James Nimmo and Co., Ltd., is £250,000 in shares of £1, half being in 5 per cent. Cumulative Preference shares and half in Ordinary shares, all of which are issued and fully paid-up.

BREWERY PROFITS.

Worthington's gross profit totalled £239,440, an increase of £64,646 over the previous year's figure, and the net profit, after allowing for Debenture interest, worked out at £218,720, against £154,074. The directors on this occasion make a new departure by publishing the Ordinary dividend proposed, which is 10 per cent. for the year, on a capital of £804,000, leaving, after placing £50,000 to reserve, an undivided balance of £46,190. Ind Coope and Co. recommend a final dividend of 7½ per cent., making 15 per cent., less tax, also a bonus of 10 per cent., less tax, placing £50,000 to reserve, carrying forward £153,489. Last year the dividend was the same, but the bonus was only 5 per cent., £109,226 being carried forward, after placing £50,000 to reserve. With the addition proposed the reserve will total £500,000.

FLOUR DEARER.

The London price of standard grade flour has been advanced 6d. to 50s. 6d. per sack. Prices in country areas will be 1s. more.

DENTAL FUSION.

The dental amalgamation was unanimously agreed to at the meeting of Claudius Ash Company yesterday. In the course of the chairman's explanation, he stated that the arrangement with the Ash Ideal Tooth Company in America will be terminated, and compensation will be paid to the American Company. The De Trey interest in the Dental Supply Company is to be purchased, and in connection with this, it was stated that an offer for this investment had been made in cash in excess of the amount being paid by Claudius Ash in shares.

U.S. LOAN TO FRANCE.

That the 100,000,000 dollars loan to France was quickly over-subscribed in the United States was almost a foregone conclusion, seeing that at 94—the price of issue—the bonds on a 7 per cent. interest yield approximately 7½ per cent. The object of the loan, the proceeds of which are to remain in America, is to fund the advance of 100,000,000 dollars, which was made to the French Government by New York bankers ealier in the year, for the purpose of supporting the franc exchange. While the object in view may be attained, any sustained improvement in the franc can, of course, only come about by placing the national finances of France on a sound footing.

ARGENTINE CROPS.

The Anglo-South American Bank has received the following telegram, dated Buenos Aires, 15th November:—"Crops of wheat, linseed, and oats are in good condition over an area stretching 100 miles inland from the River Plate and the seaboard, from Rosario down to Quequen. In addition, the recent rains have been sufficient to sustain the same crops over the district extending a further 100 miles inland, but more rains will be required to secure the harvest there. To the North of Rosario and in the West of Cordoba, however, the general condition of the crops is poor and rain is urgently required. The Pampa wheat crop will be below the average, even if rain falls. The crops in Entre Rios are still in good condition."

Also a further cable dated 19th November:—"There is no change to report in conditions in the wheat, linseed, and oats crops since our cable of the 15th inst. Although slight isolated rains fell last night, they were insufficient to induce growth, but merely served to maintain the crops for a short period. Maize plants are generally in fair condition, as the districts sown with this cereal have experienced the greatest rainfall. Ploughing and sowing of maize still continue. The camps are generally in fair condition, although rain is everywhere required."

The Bank of Norway yesterday reduced its rate of discount from 7 per cent. to 6½ per cent.

MECHANICAL FARMS.

ALL WORK DONE BY ELECTRICITY.

Fourteen Minnesota farms are being equipped with every known electrically operated household or labour-saving device, without cost to the farmer, in a three-year test carried out under the supervision of professors of an agricultural college, to determine whether it is practical to employ electricity on farms.

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QUARREL AFTER FOOTBALL MATCH.

A charge arising out of an Association football match was heard yesterday at Kingstown by Mr. G. P. Cussen, District Justice. Thomas Moloney, 5 Clarence street, Kingstown, and George Mitchell, 193 Lower George's street, Kingstown, were charged with assaulting James Field, member of the Rockville team.

Field said his team beat the Dun Laoghaire team by three goals to nil. When he was leaving the ground Mitchell and Moloney attacked him, but spectators and other players prevented them from striking. At the dressing room they made a second attempt, and later, when he was putting on his boots, Mitchell ran in and kicked him in the leg and the side. Field defended himself, and Moloney struck him in the mouth with his fist. The defendants had only been spectators of the match.

Moloney denied that he struck Field. Mitchell admitted striking Field on the lip, but said Moloney never struck Field. The witness went on to state that when the match was played last year in Blackrock revolvers were drawn, and he was stabbed with a penknife.

Mr. Cussen fined Moloney £2, and bound Mitchell to the peace. The Justice also directed Mitchell to pay Field £3 13s. 4d. and £4 4s. costs.

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SALE WILL COMMENCE AT 12 O'CLOCK SHARP.

The Sale will commence at Lot 319, and will include the remainder of the Type and the Binding Department and Paper Stocks. Admission by Catalogue only.

PROPERTY SALE, FRIDAY NEXT, NOV. 28,

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We are instructed by Messrs. Thos. Archer (who are concentrating their business in more central premises, and are consequently giving up their large New Wapping Street Yard),

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AT NEW WAPPING STREET, NORTH WALL.

The Sale will include the Engineering Plant, Steam Engine and Boiler, Traction Engines, Motor Lorries, Trailers, heavy Timber Wagons, Portable and Semi-portable Engines, Lathes, Saw Benches, Planing Machines, Wood Fibre Machine, etc., etc. The Interest in the Premises will be Sold at this Auction. The Yard comprises about 3 acres, about 1 acre of which is covered in with Workshops, Stores, Offices, and Stables.

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THE MANAGER.

STORE CATTLE AUCTION

TO-MORROW (THURSDAY),

11 O'CLOCK.

Entries include 40 AGED HORNED BULLOCKS and 10 POLLED BULLOCKS, from the Earl of Iveagh's Farms in Co. Galway; also 2 CHOICE SPRINGERS (due to calve).

GANLY, SONS & CO.

STRAFFAN, CO. KILDARE.

WE are instructed by Robert J. Mills, Esq., to LET BY AUCTION, on the Lands, on

FRIDAY NEXT, 28th NOV.,

425 ACRES, I.P.M., of the Prime Old Feeding and Fattening Lands of TURNINGS, SHORTWOOD, and DAARS, in the usual Divisions, for Grazing of Cattle and Sheep, from 1st January to 1st December, 1925.

The Letting will commence at 1 o'clock.

GANLY, SONS & CO.,

Auctioneers and Live Stock Salesmen,

USHER'S QUAY, DUBLIN.

CONCERNS FARMERS

To-morrow's "Irish Times" will contain the special Agricultural Page, which appears fortnightly on alternate Thursdays. Do not miss its articles, information and items. They concern —often vitally—every farmer and agriculturist.

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KILLINEY HILL ROAD.

TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), 27th NOV., 1924.

WE are instructed by Colonel Sir William Taylor, K.B.E., to SELL BY AUCTION, THE SUPERIOR FURNITURE, IN FINE CONDITION, PIANO, CARPETS, PICTURES, AND OUTDOOR EFFECTS, Etc. The Furniture, which includes some exceptionally good pieces, comprises—Fine Chippendale 6 ft. Mural Table, with elaborately carved deep freize; Antique Mah. 6 ft. Sideboard, incurved front; Fine Hepplewhite Side Table, and 12 Hepplewhite Dining Chairs and 2 Carvers, in morocco; good Gors and Kallman Upright Piano, walnut case; Burroughs and Watts 8 x 4 Billiard Table and Accessories, with dining table tops; 2 Chesterfield Couches, Divan Easy Chairs, Antique Sheraton, Occasional and Arm Chairs, 2 Revolving Bookcases, various Card and Occasional Tables, 12 ft. Telescope Dinner Table, Antique Brass Fenders, Coal Boxes and Screens, Superior Axminster and Indian Carpets and Rugs, Linoleums, Chenille and other Curtains, Valuable Oil Paintings, Water Colours and Engravings, Girandole and Walnut Mantel Mirror, Writing Desk, Walnut and Mahogany Mirror Door Wardrobes, Duchess Toilet Tables and Chests Drawers, Antique Toilet Glasses, Toilet Ware, Presses, Brass and Iron Bedsteads, Spring and Hair Mattresses and Bedding, Maids' Room Furniture, Kitchen Mangle, Dresser, Furniture, and Utensils, Perfection Oil Cooking Stove, Step Ladders, Glass and China, etc. OUTDOOR EFFECTS include Penn. 16" and other Lawn Mowers, good Double Iron Roller, Garden Tools, Wheelbarrow, 3 Garden Frames and Lights, Hen House and Run, Tennis Marker, Poles and Net, 3 Garden Benches and 12 Chairs, House, Chrysanthemums and other Plants, large Quantity of Flower Pots, etc. On View Morning of Sale, 10 till 12. Sale To-morrow (Thursday), 27th, at 12 o'clock. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

JAMES ADAM & SONS,

Auctioneers and Appraisers,

17 MERRION ROW and 19 STEPHEN'S GREEN.

DUBLIN CHRISTMAS FAT STOCK SHOW & SALE,

Under the auspices of the Dublin Cattle Salesmasters' Association.

SHOW AND SALE

OF

804 CATTLE

AND

250 SHEEP

OF PRIME QUALITY,

In the CATTLE MARKET, DUBLIN,

On WEDNESDAY, 10th DEC. NEXT.

His Excellency the Governor-General has kindly presented a valuable Silver Cup for competition, and the Royal Dublin Society have generously contributed £250 towards the Prize Fund.

PLEASE NOTE DATE.

BATTERSBY & CO.'S SALES.

TO-MORROW, AT 1.30 O'CLOCK,

AT OUR SALEROOMS, 39 WESTMORELAND STREET,

AS ALREADY FULLY ADVERTISED.

30 MARGUERITE ROAD, GLASNEVIN. POSSESSION.

55 STRAND ROAD, MERRION. POSSESSION.

SALE OF ATTRACTIVE RESIDENCE AND WELL-SECURED PROFIT RENTS. LAURENCE KEHOE, DECEASED.

"CLANABOY," LORETTO AVENUE, BRAY.

PROFIT RENT OF £100 out of NOS. 101, 102, 102a FRANCIS STREET.

PROFIT RENT OF £52 11s. 4d. PER ANNUM out of 16 LR. BAGGOT STREET.

PROFIT RENT OF £65 12s. 6d. out of NOS. 18 and 19 MARK'S ALLEY, FRANCIS ST.

ARTHUR G. JOYCE, Solicitor, 121 Stephen's Green, W.

MOOREFIELD, ROEBUCK. POSSESSION.

75 LINDSAY ROAD, GLASNEVIN. POSSESSION.

1 GRACEPARK GARDENS, DRUMCONDRA. POSSESSION.

"GLENOMRA," HADDON ROAD, CLONTARF. POSSESSION.

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CORRIGAN & CO'S SALES.

THIS DAY (WEDNESDAY), AT 1.30 P.M.,

IN THEIR ESTATE SALEROOMS, 4 GRAFTON STREET.

EXECUTORS' SALE. S. DUNDON (DECEASED).

TO HIGH-CLASS TAILORS, OUTFITTERS AND OTHERS.

34 HENRY STREET & 1 HENRY PLACE,

MAGNIFICENT CORNER PREMISES.

ALREADY FULLY ADVERTISED.

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HELD FOR RESIDUE OF 900 YEARS AT £7 10/- PER ANNUM. POSSESSION.

ALREADY FULLY ADVERTISED.

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4 GRAFTON STREET. 'Phone 2259.

SALE THIS DAY (IN CONTINUATION), AT NOON,

GAINSBORO' HOUSE SALEROOMS.

WM. MONTGOMERY & SON will SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on the Premises, as above—Fine Donegal, Wilton, and Axminster Stair and Floor Carpets, Corridor and Hearth Rugs, Bedroom and Kitchen Furniture, Culinary Utensils, Bedsteads and Bedding, Outdoor Effects, about 200 Volumes of Medical and other Books, and large assortment of Miscellaneous Property.

Carpets will be offered at 12.30. Medical Books, 3 o'clock. Purchasers to pay 5% Fees.

WM. MONTGOMERY & SON, M.I.A.A., 24 SUFFOLK ST., DUBLIN.

ON VIEW TO-MORROW.

SAORSTAT EIREANN—IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE—IN BANKRUPTCY.

Re JOHN HATTON CUMMING, 4 Lower Abbey street, Dublin, Motor Agent, a Bankrupt.

WILLIAM MONTGOMERY and SON are instructed by A. G. HOLLINSHEAD, Official Assignee, pursuant to Order of the Court, to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, ON THE PREMISES, 4 LOWER ABBEY STREET, on FRIDAY NEXT, 28th INSTANT, AT ONE O'CLOCK,

THE STOCK-IN-TRADE,

Comprising: Buick 5-Seater Touring Car (1916), Singer Motor Car, Components, Head and Side Lamps, Bulb and Electric Horns, Motor Meters, Mascots; Lodge, Bosch, and other Plugs; B.T.H. Magnetos, Dunlop and other Tyres and Tubes, Driving Mirrors, Clocks, Speedometers, Hand Crane, useful Garage Equipment, Wireless Sets and Amplifiers, Office Furniture, Dictaphones, Remington Typewriter, and miscellaneous effects. ON VIEW TO-MORROW (THURSDAY). Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Fees.

A. G. HOLLINSHEAD, Esq., Official Assignee, Law Courts, Dublin Castle.

WM. MONTGOMERY & SON, M.I.A.A., AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS,

GAINSBORO' HOUSE, 24 SUFFOLK STREET, DUBLIN.

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FURNITURE.

AT Highest Value—James Hill and Son, Bachelor's Walk, Purchase Furniture, Pianos, Antiques. T

BEDSTEADS and Bedding, also Curbs, Fenders, Linoleum, Sideboards and China Cabinets. Clearing prices.—87 Marlborough street. 25 F

FOR Sale, Double Bedstead, 4 ft.; Wire and Hair Mattress, Roll-Top Desk, large Lamp, central draught; large Box.—C 1707, this office. 21 C

LAWLOR, Briscoe will Buy or Sell your surplus Furniture. Auction every Thursday.—35 Ormond quay. T

FURNITURE—Lot of good, useful articles, Divan Easy Chairs, Sofa, Box Ottoman, small Chairs, Antique Rug Chest, Sideboard, etc.—At T. Gardiner's, Art Upholsterer, rear 6 Lower Fitzwilliam street. 24 E

TWO Solid Mahogany Bedroom Suites, two Mahogany Mirrored Sideboards, Saddlebag and Leather Suite, etc.; sacrifice, owner leaving.—D 33, this office. 25 F

MUSIC, PIANOS, ETC.

AT Gill's, Nassau street—Have your Piano Repaired and Tuned. Estimates free. 'Phone 5284. 12 14

BEAUTIFUL American Upright 88 Note Player Piano, metal tubes throughout, unexcelled for brilliancy of tone, list price 225 guineas, our price £165.—Quinn and Co., 67 Middle Abbey street, Dublin. 24 A

COTTAGE Piano for Sale (Crane), iron frame, almost new; highest offer. Address "Z 4444, Piano," this office. 24 O

FOR Sale, Perry Violin, recently renovated; perfect order.—D 5, this office. 25 F

GRAMOPHONE Stores, Johnson's Court, Grafton street, Dublin, for Winner Records and Machines. 7 T

IS your Piano in perfect order? If not, send to the Piano Expert; cheapest in town; 30 years' practical experience; Tunings 5/-.—W. Beyer, Pianoforte Maker, 14 Granby row, Parnell square. 20 E

KEARNEY'S Gramophones and Records; catalogue free.—Kearney Brothers, 14 Capel street, Dublin. 7 X

LADY starting house would Purchase Piano; state full particulars.—C 1538, this office. 19 C

PIANOS, from 30/- monthly; Gramophones, from 10/- monthly. Best and cheapest in Ireland.—John Wakefield, Little Theatre, Crane's Chambers, 40 Upper O'Connell street. 8 24

WANTED, Piano, Cottage or small Grand; state full particulars.—D 46, this office. 25 F

WANTED, Cottage or Upright Piano, in perfect condition; cheap for cash. Apply "Z 4488, Piano," this office. 25 E

HORSES, HARNESS, ETC.

COACH-HOUSE, Stable and Loft to Let, near Mountjoy square, rent 15/- weekly.—C 1791, this office.

FOR Sale, strong Mare, cheap; suit farmer.—Bellevue, Merrion road.

HARNESS, hand sewn, all sizes in stock; own manufacture; Stable Requisites stocked; telephone 3584.—Patterson, George's quay. 20 D

HORSES—Five strong working, 6 years; handsome Cob; Waggons, Dray with sides.—Stables, 51 Townsend street. 22 D

HARNESS Repairs executed same day as received; Horse Clippers, Clark's, 15/6.—Smith, 93 Marlborough street (one minute from Nelson Pillar). X

HUNTING Season—Lady's modern Pigskin Side Saddle, best quality, splendid condition, £3 3/-.—Coffey, Wexford.

SADDLE Wanted, Hunting, good make and condition.—C 1947, this office. 24 E

WANTED, Pony, 13.3 to 14, sharp and perfectly quiet in harness, used to all traffic; moderate price.—Fawcett's, Enfield, Meath. 23 C

WANTED, young Horse, likely hunter, about 15.2; cheap.—C 1934, this office. 24 O

VEHICLES.

FOR Sale, good family Trap; rubber tyres, lamps; perfect condition; suit cob, 15 hands.—D 47, this office.

RUBBER Tyres, all sizes, fitted at short notice.—The City Wheel Works, Ltd., Great Brunswick street, Dublin. T

CATTLE, LIVE STOCK.

A LOVELY, quiet Blue Polly Heifer and Bull Calf (calved 25th) for Sale.—Airfield, Stillorgan road, Donnybrook. 25 D

COWS—Three fine milkers, just calved; also springer and two backward springers.—Blackrock House, Blackrock. 22 D

CALVES—Five extra fine ones, month old; 3 guineas each.—Blackrock House, Blackrock. 22 D

COWS—Two Jerseys, one half Jersey; several Shorthorns in full milk.—Hacketsland Farm, Shankill. 23 D

COWS—For Sale, a few Kerries and Dexters, also pure bred Jerseys and Heifers.—Glenageary Park, Glenageary, Kingstown. 24 E

FERRETS—Strong, healthy, good workers, not rubbish, 12/-; Nets, 8d.—Lindsay, Roscrea. 8 19

FOR Sale, Angora Rabbits, prize pedigree, unrelated, bucks and does, from 25/-.—Miss White, Piltown, Co. Kilkenny. 21 C

FERRETS, strong workers, 12/6; trained Polecats, 13/6; Nets, 8d.; Long Nets, 12/6.—Kilroy, Tullamore. 24 D

FERRETS, 10/- each; Rabbit Nets, best, 6/- dozen.—King, 118 Capel street, Dublin. 25 F

FERRETS, guaranteed workers, 10/- each, 18/- pair; large rabbiters, 21/- pair; Liners, 12/6 each; Overyeared, 12/6 and 15/- each, carriage paid.—W. Rendwin, 14 Bevington Bush, Liverpool. 8 26

RABBITS—For Sale, Blue Beverens and White Angoras, parents direct from Lady Rachel Byng, age 4-6 months; bucks 30/-, 50/-, does 42/-, 66/-.—Lady Dunleath, Ballywalter, Co. Down. 7 X

TWO young Cows for Sale, one milking, the other springing. Apply Chesterfield, Cross avenue, Booterstown. 25 F

DOGS.

ALSATIAN Bitch Puppy for Sale, four months old, perfect pedigree. Address "Z 4443, Dog," this office. 24 E

AIREDALE Bitch, champion pedigree, six months, thoroughly healthy; 3 guineas.—Montgomery, Drumconnick, Cavan.

ARBOURFIELD Kennels, Dundrum—Winning Bulldogs and Bitches, also Bitch Puppy, over distemper; reasonable prices; Sealyham Dog Puppy; all pedigree; room wanted.

DEERHOUND Bitch, 2 years; four Pups, 4 months old; champion pedigree, parents registered; price reasonable.—Wrenth, Auctioneer, Ballymoney, Co. Antrim. 25 F

FOR Sale, Cocker Pups, 3 months old.—J. G. Murphy, Drumlegagh House, Newtownstewart, Co. Tyrone. 24 E

FOR Sale, Black and Tan (Miniatures), six months old (Females), sire Champion Duncairn Dandy, dam Farringdon Lady; beautiful markings and real show specimens. Apply Box No. 1537, Irish Times Branch Office, Belfast. 24 C

FOR Sale, beautiful Puppies, smooth coated Fox Terriers, with pedigree, 3 months old. Address "Z 4471, Dogs," this office. 25 D

FOR Sale, Brown, Curly Irish Water Spaniel (Dog), perfectly trained, age 2 years; price £12. Apply Miller, Gamekeeper, Kennels, Tynan, Co. Armagh. 25 F

FOR Sale, one splendid Irish Red Setter Dog, 18 months old; two Irish Red Setter Puppies, four months old. Address "Z 4477, Dogs," this office. 25 E

FOR Sale, Liver and White Pointer Dog, 21 months, large size and very strong, fast ranger, good nose, and staunch on all points (pedigreed); also Black Retriever (wavy), 4 years, large size, retrieves tenderly to hand, land, water, and to boat; splendid worker, and very obedient; both these dogs are genuine; owner can explain reason for selling. Address "Z 4478, Dogs," this office. 25 E

DOGS CONTINUED.

GOLDEN Retriever, magnificent Male, second season, perfectly trained, heavily shot over. Particulars Tyrrell, Drumconnick, Cavan. 25 D

IRISH Blue Terrier (Female), registered, 12 months, very quiet, very well bred; £3 10/-.—Leahy, Pound street, Nenagh.

KERRY Blue Puppies for Sale, £3, prize strain, eight weeks old.—Atkinson, Dornden, Booterstown, Dublin. 21 O

PEKINGESE Pup (bitch), 4 months, prize winning strain, 1924; sacrifice, £2 2/-. Address "Z 4466, Dog," this office. 24 E

PEDIGREE Pekingese, 10 weeks old; cheap.—123 South Circular road.

POMERANIANS, miniature puppies, Blacks, Sables; champion pedigree; cheap.—D 35, this office. 25 F

RED Setter Puppies, five months, Champion Cappagh Chieftain, dam Red Nell; £4.—Smyth, Newtown, Drogheda. 24 F

TO Cure Dogs' Skin Diseases get Gibsol Veterinary Ointment. Chemists, 2/6, or Gibsol, Ltd., Clare lane, Dublin. 20 T

"THE Irish Field" is the official organ of the Irish Kennel Club, and contains exclusive news and reports. At all newsagents. Every Saturday. Price 2d. T

WANTED, Sealyham Bitches, in whelp or due in use; fullest particulars.—D 27, this office.

WANTED, well bred Cocker Spaniel, not more than 12 months old, with good pedigree; state best price. Address "Z 4487, Spaniel," 25 B

BUSINESS, BUSINESS PREMISES, LANDS, ETC.

SALE AND WANTED.

A SECOND Floor Office to Let, electric light.—12 St. Andrew street. T

AUCTION, Friday, 12th December, at MacArthur's, 9a Findlater place, off Lower Sackville street, Business Premises, with possession; Shop, 6 apartments, cellars, yard; ground rent £30; lease 50 years. 25 F

AUCTION, Friday, 12th December, at MacArthur's, 68 North King street; vacant possession; Shop and House, 5 apartments, side entrance, electric light and gas; ground rent £10; lease 200 years. 25 F

BEST Woodcock Shooting in Ireland, 1,500 acres, good mixed shooting. Full particulars, Eccles Hotel, Glengarriff, Co. Cork. 12 X

BUSINESS for Sale, good connection; fine opportunity for watchmaker; cheap. Write D 20, this office. 25 D

FOR Sale, Taxi Business (four cars, Dodge Landaulettes), in perfect order; steady connection; centre of city; reason given for disposal; moderate price.—C 1706, this office. 21 O

FOR Sale, with possession, Shop and House, 20 Strand road, Fairview; interest in lease for 21 years, subject to £100 per annum and taxes. Apply J. C. O'Meagher and Son, 44 Westland Row, Dublin. 24 C

GARAGE to Let, four cars; concrete, water, good entrance.—3 Harcourt street. D

GOOD Garage (private) to Let; concrete, water.—20 Eton square, Terenure. 21 O

GARAGE to Let; water, electric light, cement, loft.—Caretaker, 7 Upper Pembroke street. 25 F

"GARRICKS," Bridge street, Balbriggan. Vacant possession—Shop and 8 apartments, spacious yard and return buildings; ground rent £1 10/-; lease 45 years to run. Auction, Friday, 12th December, at MacArthur's. 25 F

GARAGE for Sale, 20 miles from Dublin, up-to-date, all fittings, kerb side pump, accommodate 10 cars, store, office, workman's cottage, two storey dwelling-house, yard, etc.; held free of rent, as Going Concern, or separately; price moderate; inspection invited; good Agencies; sound connection; owner retiring from business; portion purchase money could remain out at interest. Address "Z 4385, Garage," this office. 21 X

HOTELS—Dalkey district, fully licensed Going Concern, £3,500; two magnificent Residences in Merrion square, one free of rent for ever, price £3,800, other £1,200, suit hotels; Amiens street, Going Concern, £3,000; Enniscorthy, Going Concern, fully licensed, £3,000; Harrington street, £1,200; North George's street, £1,500.—The National Estate Agency, 66 Middle Abbey street, Dublin. 20 X

LARGE Building, near South quays, to Let, suitable for Stores. Address "Z 3642, Stores," this office. T

LOCK Up Garage to Let, near Parnell Monument; 10/- weekly.—C 1751, this office. 21 O

LET or Sell, with possession, large Premises, centre city; suitable wholesale warehouse, motor showroom, or factory.—D 8, this office.

OFFICES to Let, 2 floors (near Courts); rent moderate. Keys at 64 Dame street. 24 C

OFFICES to Let, 2 rooms (communicating), first floor; electric light.—45 Henry street. 25 F

OFFICES to Let, newly decorated; one furnished; Wicklow street, Dublin.—D 51, this office. 25 D

OFFICE to Let, new house, 16 Henry street (next Arnott's); electricity, gas.

OFFICE accommodation, with telephone and typing service, offered on moderate terms.—Public Secretariat, 35 Dawson street (opposite Mansion House). 'Phone 4557. 25 F

RABBITS. Rabbits—Wanted, any quantity clean trapped stuff; highest market prices guaranteed; hampers supplied; Irish trade references furnished.—Fred Blackburn, Wholesale Market, Dewsbury. X

RABBITS Wanted for trapping, good stock, by couple or contract. Apply Murphy, Knock, Danesfort, Kilkenny. 25 D

SUPERIOR Offices, electric light; basement and storage if required.—5 North Wall. T

SHOP (vacant possession) and House, 21 Marlborough street, for Sale.—A. M. Keys, 17 Fownes street. 21 C

SHOP and Basement, central position; suitable for first class tobacconist and barber's shop; lease 14 years, with further option.—C 1716, this office. 21 C

STORES and Yard to Let on Lease, near Baggot street Bridge; suitable garage or builder's yard. Particulars, C 1870, this office. 24 E

SHOP Wanted, or House to convert as such; Drumcondra or Fairview; rent or buy.—D 30, this office. 25 F

TO Let, Offices; 2 rooms, second floor.—25 Wicklow street. 25 F

TO Commission Agents—Off Dame street. Suite Offices, three or five rooms, newly done up. Terms, Battersby, Westmoreland street. 25 E

TO Let, Garage, suit private motor.—Wilton Place Mansions.

UNITY Building, Sackville street—Fine Suites Offices, second, fourth floors; elevator; large Basement, direct entrance from street; ground floor Office to Let; reasonable rents; small rates. Apply Mr. Matheson, first floor. 24 29

WATERFORD—Extensive Stores (130' x 90') and Offices for Sale, situated on Grattan quay, close to railway station and shipping.—Peter O'Connor, Solicitor, Waterford. 20 C

WANTED, Shop or Store (rented), suit wholesaler, central city; state terms.—C 1783, this office. 21 C

£10 WEEKLY offered for Shop; good position; suitable, permanent.—D 17, this office.

STABLING AND GRAZING.

LARGE Coachhouse, Stable, and Loft to Let (water), near Pembroke road; moderate.—D 24, this office.

HOUSES AND LANDS FOR SALE.

AUCTION November 27th, 30 Marguerite road, Glasnevin (possession); compact modern House, every modern convenience.—Battersby and Co., Auctioneers, Dublin. 20 D

AUCTION 27th November, 55 Strand road, Merrion (possession), on tram line, facing sea; substantially built, good accommodation, electric light, first class garage.—Battersby, Auctioneers, Dublin. 20 D

AUCTION 27th November—Los. Kehoe, deceased—Profit Rents well secured; £100 per annum out of Licensed Premises and Houses, Nos. 101, 102, 102a Francis street; £52 11/4 per annum out of H. Williams and Co., 16 Lower Baggot street, and £65 12/6 per annum out of Nos. 18 and 19 Mark's alley, Francis street. Full particulars, Battersby and Co., Auctioneers, or Arthur G. Joyce, Solicitor, 121 Stephen's Green. 20 D

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500 STORE CATTLE,

At 50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN, on

TO-MORROW (THURSDAY),

Commencing at 11 o'clock.

GAVIN LOW, LTD.

FARM FOR SALE

BY PRIVATE TREATY.

Within 1 mile of Curragh, Co. Kildare. Would make admirable Stud Farm. Apply

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IMPORTANT LETTING OF

210 IRISH ACRES,

On FRIDAY, 5th DECEMBER,

At 12 o'clock.

For the Grazing of Horned Cattle and Sheep, from 1st January to 30th November, 1925, in divisions of from 7 to 44 Acres.

Cards with areas on application.

GAVIN LOW, LTD., M.I.A.A.

CARDIFFSTOWN, KILMESSAN.

LETTING OF

150 IRISH ACRES,

On MONDAY, 15th DEC., 1924,

For the Grazing of Horned Cattle and Sheep, from the 1st January to 30th November, 1925, in Divisions of from 4 to 40 Acres.

Cards with areas on application.

GAVIN LOW, LTD., M.I.A.A.,

50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

RATHBEALE HALL, SWORDS.

CLEARANCE SALE OF CATTLE, SHEEP, HORSES, HAY, FARMING IMPLEMENTS, MOTORS, ETC.

WE have been instructed by Elias B. Corbally, Esq. (who is going abroad for some time), to SELL BY AUCTION on FRIDAY, 28th NOVEMBER, as follows:—

CATTLE—1 Pedigree Hereford Bull, 11 grand in-calf Cows and Heifers, some due to calve; 13 Bullocks and Heifers, 1 and 2 years; 1 Cow and Calf, 1 Stripper. SHEEP—43 good Cheviot Ewes, flocked with Shrop Ram. HORSES—3 Farm Horses, 1 Pony (4 years, 14 hands), 1 Pony, aged. HAY—60 Tons Old Meadow (about 30 Tons at the Rath). IMPLEMENTS—Whiting Bull Tractor, 6 Ploughs (2 for Tractor), 2 Cultivators, Albion Mower and Hoe (for Tractor), Metal Roller, Cambridge do., 2 Cultivators (Horse), 6 Harrows (2 Chain), Corn Drill, Albion Slag Sower, Massey Harris Binder, Bamford Mower, Pierce Reaper, Star Potato Sprayer, Winnower, Grass Seed Barrow, Hay Elevator, 3 Scotch Farm Carts, Float, Lorry, Pony Cart, 3 Hay Bogies, Cake Crusher, Turnip Pulper, Sack Weighing Machine, Portable Forge and Anvil, 2 Corn Bins, Large Galvanised Tank, Timber, Corrugated Iron, Shafting, Pulleys, Iron Lorry Wheels, with Stub Axles, etc., etc. MOTORS—Jewett Model de Luxe Motor Car (1924), 5-Seater, in new condition; Arrol Johnston do. (1914), in perfect running order. Sale to commence at 12 o'clock sharp.

CRAIGIE BROS.,

37 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

RATHBEALE HALL AND THE RATH.

The Whole of the above Lands having been SET BY PRIVATE TREATY, the Letting announced for FRIDAY NEXT, 28th NOVEMBER, will not take place.

CRAIGIE BROS.,

37 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

WADELAI, GLASNEVIN.

THREE MILES FROM CATTLE MARKET.

41 ACRES OF ABOVE LANDS TO LET, in One or Two Divisions.

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SALE THIS DAY (WEDNESDAY), at One o'clock.

THOMAS GARLAND

WILL SELL BY AUCTION AT

69 NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD

(Adjacent to Phœnix Park),

THE ENTIRE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PIANO, &c.

(As already advertised).

On View this day, from 10 to hour of Sale, 1 o'clock precisely.

THOMAS GARLAND,

Auctioneer and Valuer,

8 MERCHANT'S QUAY.

GARVEY & GOOD, M.I.A.A.

CO. KILDARE—AUCTION SALE of BALLYSAX LODGE and LANDS, situated near Curragh, on TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), the 27th inst., at the hour of 2 o'clock, in the Offices of Garvey and Good, 21 Lincoln place, Dublin. This Holding, which contains 71 Acres, Statute measure, comprises Prime Grass Lands, well fenced, sheltered and watered. In addition to the Farm Residence, there is a newly-built, substantial and compact Bungalow, which can be well let if so desired. The Out-offices are substantial and suitable to the Holding. Vendor's Solicitors, Messrs. Hayes and Sons, Nassau street, Dublin. Further particulars from GARVEY and GOOD, 21 LINCOLN PLACE, DUBLIN.

Lovers of Sport and Scenery who require Residential Holdings or Demesne Lands can obtain full particulars of some very beautiful places on application to Garvey and Good; also people requiring Farms in the home counties, register kept of such places. Surveys and Valuations made of all kinds of property. Applications to

GARVEY & GOOD,

Surveyors, Valuers and Auctioneers,

21 LINCOLN PLACE, DUBLIN.

HOUSES AND LANDS CONTINUED.

AUCTION 27th November, Moorfield, Roebuck, on 22 acres (possession); solidly built, with every modern convenience, electric light, 'phone; prime quality land; new drainage.—Battersby, Auctioneers, Dublin. 20 D

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